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## FOREWORD

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## OVERVIEW OF THE STRUCTURE OF POLICING IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

In British Columbia there is a Provincial Force (RCMP), twelve "Independent" Municipal Forces, forty-three RCMP contracted Municipal Forces, and eight RCMP "extended" municipal contracts. These Provincial and Municipal Forces provide police services to their own geographic locations, which together cover the entire Province. All these jurisdictions and their three digit police code (or POLCD) are listed on the following page. (In addition to the Provincial and Municipal Forces, there is the RCMP Federal Force, the CN and CP Police and Ports Canada Police present in the Province.)

### Provincial Force (RCMP)

The Provincial Force polices the unincorporated areas (usually rural) and municipalities under 5,000 population. There are 126 Provincial Force Detachments. The cost of the Provincial Force is shared between the Federal and Provincial governments under the terms of the Federal/Provincial Policing Agreement.

Provincial Detachments are usually named after a municipality. However, it should be noted that if the municipality is under 5,000 population, the Detachment polices not only that municipality but also the unincorporated area surrounding it. On the other hand, if the municipality is over 5,000 population the provincial detachment is only responsible for policing the surrounding unincorporated area.

### Provincial "Extended" Contracts (RCMP)

The 1981 Canada Census indicated that seven municipalities exceeded 5,000 population for the first time. It should be further noted that in 1987 as a result of incorporation under the Municipal Act, one additional municipality over 5,000 was created. As a result, these municipalities became responsible for the provision of police services in their communities. Instead of contracting for RCMP Municipal police services, it was agreed that the Provincial Force would extend police services to these eight municipalities on a fee for service basis, and the municipalities would reimburse the Province for the Provincial Force police services they received.

### Municipal Forces (RCMP and Independent)

The Police Act and Municipal Act state that when a municipality reaches 5,000 population, it must assume responsibility for its police services. There are twelve municipalities with their own police departments in British Columbia. These twelve police departments are often referred to as "independent" municipal police forces. The cost of policing in these municipalities is borne 100% by the local taxpayers.

There are forty-three municipalities which contract for RCMP municipal police services. The cost of policing in these municipalities is shared between the municipality and the Federal Government under the terms of the Federal/Provincial Master Municipal Police Agreement. There are, however,

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two different cost sharing formulas: one for municipalities over 15,000 population; and one for municipalities under 15,000 population. The municipalities over 15,000 population pay a higher percentage of their costs than those which are under 15,000 population.

More detailed offence data, as well as information on the police strengths, boundaries, financing and demography of the various policing jurisdictions can be obtained from the Police Services Branch (Vancouver Office), Ministry of Solicitor General, Suite 207, 815 Hornby Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6Z 2E6, Telephone: 660-2604.

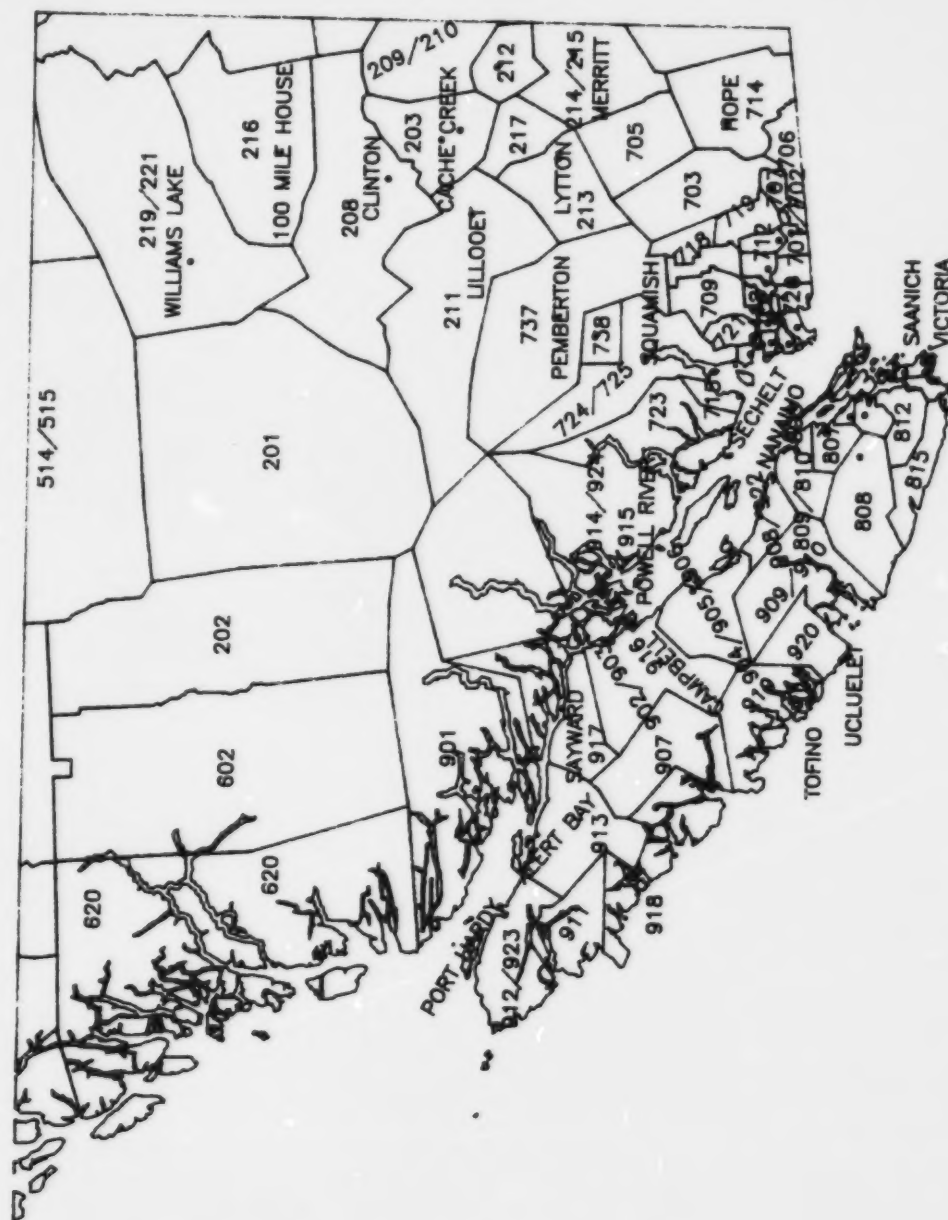


## BRITISH COLUMBIA: POLICING JURISDICTIONS: POLCD AND UNIT NAME.

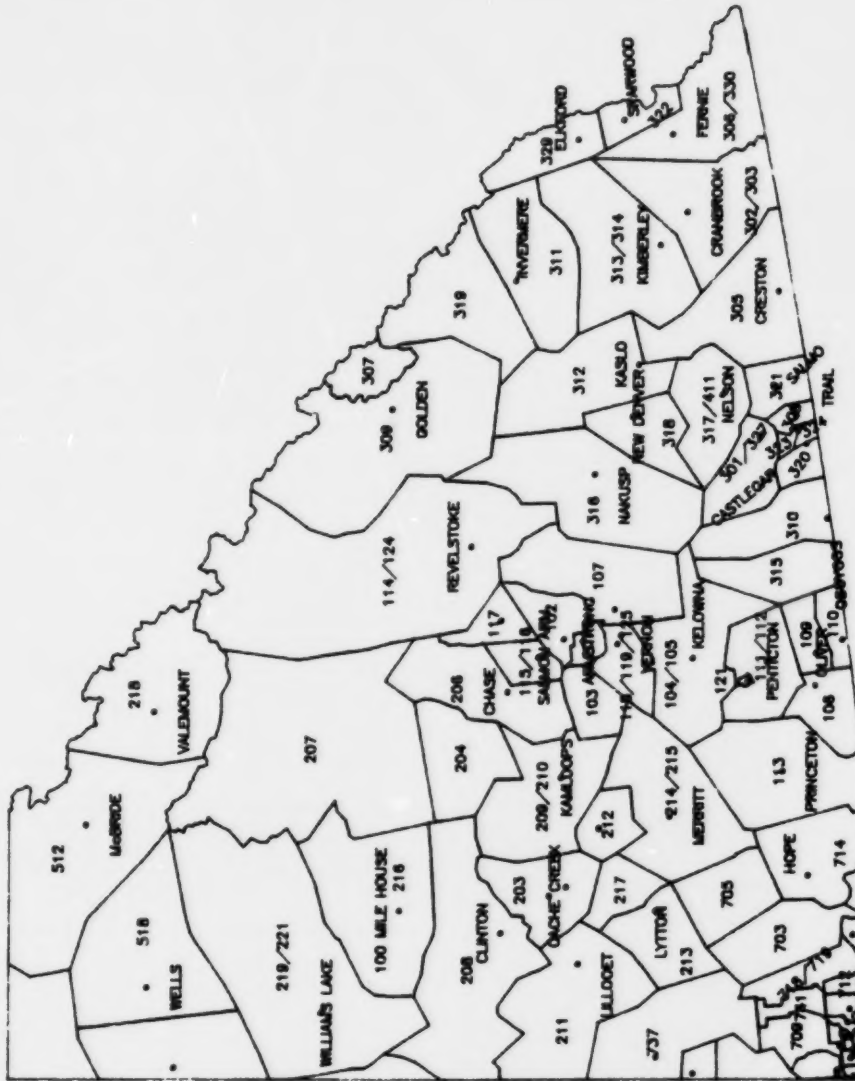
| Polcd | UNIT                        | Polcd | UNIT                             | Polcd | UNIT                                |
|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|
| 100   | <u>KELOWNA SUBDIVISION</u>  | 400   | <u>INDEPENDENTS</u>              | 700   | <u>VANCOUVER SUBDIVISION</u> Cont'd |
| 101   | Armstrong Prov              | 401   | Vancouver                        | 715   | Gibsons Prov                        |
| 102   | Enderby Prov                | 402   | Victoria                         | 716   | Langley City Mun                    |
| 103   | Falkland Prov               | 403   | Saanich                          | 717   | Langley Dist Mun                    |
| 104   | Kelowna Prov                | 404   | Central Saanich                  | 723   | Sechelt Prov                        |
| 105   | Kelowna Mun                 | 405   | Esquimalt                        | 724   | Squamish Prov                       |
| 106   | Keremeos Prov               | 406   | Oak Bay                          | 725   | Squamish Mun                        |
| 107   | Lumby Prov                  | 407   | Delta                            | 727   | University Prov                     |
| 109   | Oliver Prov                 | 408   | Matsqui                          | 729   | White Rock Mun                      |
| 110   | Osoyoos Prov                | 409   | New Westminster                  | 737   | Pemberton Prov                      |
| 111   | Penticton Prov              | 410   | West Vancouver                   | 738   | Whistler Prov                       |
| 112   | Penticton Mun               | 411   | Nelson                           | 739   | Surrey Prov                         |
| 113   | Princeton Prov              | 412   | Port Moody                       | 741   | Pitt Meadows Extended               |
| 114   | Revelstoke Prov             |       |                                  | 742   | Bowen Island Prov                   |
| 115   | Salmon Arm Prov             | 500   | <u>PRINCE GEORGE SUBDIVISION</u> |       | <u>AUTONOMOUS DETACHMENTS</u>       |
| 116   | Salmon Arm Mun              | 501   | Burns Lake Prov                  | 704   | Burnaby Mun                         |
| 117   | Sicamous Prov               | 502   | Chetwynd Prov                    | 710   | Coquitlam Mun                       |
| 118   | Vernon Prov                 | 503   | Dawson Creek Prov                | 711   | Port Coquitlam Mun                  |
| 119   | Vernon Mun                  | 504   | Dawson Creek Mun                 | 720   | N. Vancouver City Mun               |
| 121   | Summerland Mun              | 505   | Fort Nelson Prov                 | 721   | N. Vancouver Dist Mun               |
| 124   | Revelstoke Extended         | 506   | Fort St. James Prov              | 722   | Richmond Mun                        |
| 125   | Coldstream Extended         | 507   | Fort St. John Prov               | 726   | Surrey Mun                          |
|       |                             | 508   | Fort St. John Mun                |       |                                     |
| 200   | <u>KAMLOOPS SUBDIVISION</u> | 509   | Fraser Lake Prov                 | 800   | <u>VICTORIA SUBDIVISION</u>         |
| 201   | Alexis Creek Prov           | 510   | Hudson Hope Prov                 | 801   | N Cowichan - Chemainus Mun          |
| 202   | Anahim Lake Prov            | 511   | Mackenzie Prov                   | 802   | Colwood Prov                        |
| 203   | Ashcroft Prov               | 512   | McBride Prov                     | 803   | Duncan Prov                         |
| 204   | Barriere Prov               | 513   | Prince George Prov               | 804   | N Cowichan - Duncan Mun             |
| 206   | Chase Prov                  | 514   | Quesnel Prov                     | 805   | Gabriola Island Prov                |
| 207   | Clearwater Prov             | 515   | Quesnel Mun                      | 806   | Ganges Prov                         |
| 208   | Clinton Prov                | 517   | Vanderhoof Prov                  | 807   | Ladysmith Prov                      |
| 209   | Kamloops Prov               | 518   | Wells Prov                       | 808   | Lake Cowichan Prov                  |
| 210   | Kamloops Mun                | 519   | Watson Lake Prov                 | 809   | Nanaimo Prov                        |
| 211   | Lillooet Prov               | 521   | Prince George Mun                | 810   | Nanaimo Mun                         |
| 212   | Logan Lake Prov             | 522   | Mackenzie Mun                    | 811   | Pender Island Prov                  |
| 213   | Lytton Prov                 | 524   | Tumbler Ridge Prov               | 812   | Shawnigan Lake Prov                 |
| 214   | Merritt Prov                |       |                                  | 813   | Sidney Prov                         |
| 215   | Merritt Mun                 | 600   | <u>PRINCE RUPERT SUBDIVISION</u> | 814   | Sidney Mun                          |
| 216   | 100 Mile House Prov         | 601   | Atlin Prov                       | 815   | Sooke Prov                          |
| 217   | Spences Bridge Prov         | 602   | Bella Coola Prov                 | 820   | North Saanich Extended              |
| 218   | Valemount Prov              | 603   | Cassiar Prov                     | 821   | Colwood Extended                    |
| 219   | Williams Lake Prov          | 604   | New Hazelton Prov                |       |                                     |
| 221   | Williams Lake Mun           | 605   | Houston Prov                     | 900   | <u>COURTENAY SUBDIVISION</u>        |
|       |                             | 606   | Kitimat Prov                     | 901   | Alert Bay Prov                      |
| 300   | <u>NELSON SUBDIVISION</u>   | 607   | Kitimat Mun                      | 902   | Campbell River Prov                 |
| 301   | Castlegar Prov              | 608   | Masset Prov                      | 903   | Campbell River Mun                  |
| 302   | Cranbrook Prov              | 610   | Prince Rupert Prov               | 904   | Comox Mun                           |
| 303   | Cranbrook Mun               | 611   | Prince Rupert Mun                | 905   | Courtenay Prov                      |
| 304   | Crescent Valley Prov        | 612   | Queen Charlotte City Prov        | 906   | Courtenay Mun                       |
| 305   | Creston Prov                | 613   | Smithers Prov                    | 907   | Gold River Prov                     |
| 306   | Fernie Prov                 | 614   | Stewart Prov                     | 908   | Parksville Prov                     |
| 307   | Field Prov                  | 615   | Dease Lake Prov                  | 909   | Port Alberni Prov                   |
| 308   | Fruitvale Prov              | 616   | Terrace Prov                     | 910   | Port Alberni Mun                    |
| 309   | Golden Prov                 | 617   | Terrace Mun                      | 911   | Port Alice Prov                     |
| 310   | Grand Forks Prov            | 619   | Granisle Prov                    | 912   | Port Hardy Prov                     |
| 311   | Invermere Prov              | 620   | Bella Bella Prov                 | 913   | Port McNeill Prov                   |
| 312   | Kaslo Prov                  | 621   | New Aiyansh Prov                 | 914   | Powell River Prov                   |
| 313   | Kimberley Prov              |       |                                  | 915   | Powell River Mun                    |
| 314   | Kimberley Mun               | 700   | <u>CHILLIWACK SUBDIVISION</u>    | 916   | Quadra Island Prov                  |
| 315   | Midway Prov                 | 701   | Abbotsford Prov                  | 917   | Sayward Prov                        |
| 316   | Nakusp Prov                 | 702   | Abbotsford Mun                   | 918   | Tahsis Prov                         |
| 317   | Nelson Prov                 | 703   | Agassiz Prov                     | 919   | Tofino Prov                         |
| 318   | New Denver Prov             | 705   | Boston Bar Prov                  | 920   | Ucluelet Prov                       |
| 319   | Radium Prov                 | 706   | Chilliwack Prov                  | 922   | Parksville Extended                 |
| 320   | Rossland Prov               | 707   | Chilliwack Mun                   | 923   | Port Hardy Extended                 |
| 321   | Salmo Prov                  | 714   | Hope Prov                        | 924   | Texada Island Prov                  |
| 322   | Sparwood Prov               | 718   | Mission Prov                     |       |                                     |
| 323   | Trail Prov                  | 719   | Mission Mun                      |       |                                     |
| 324   | Trail Mun                   | 700   | <u>VANCOUVER SUBDIVISION</u>     |       |                                     |
| 327   | Castlegar Mun               | 709   | Coquitlam Prov                   |       |                                     |
| 329   | Elkford Prov                | 712   | Maple Ridge Prov                 |       |                                     |
| 330   | Fernie Extended             | 713   | Maple Ridge Mun                  |       |                                     |

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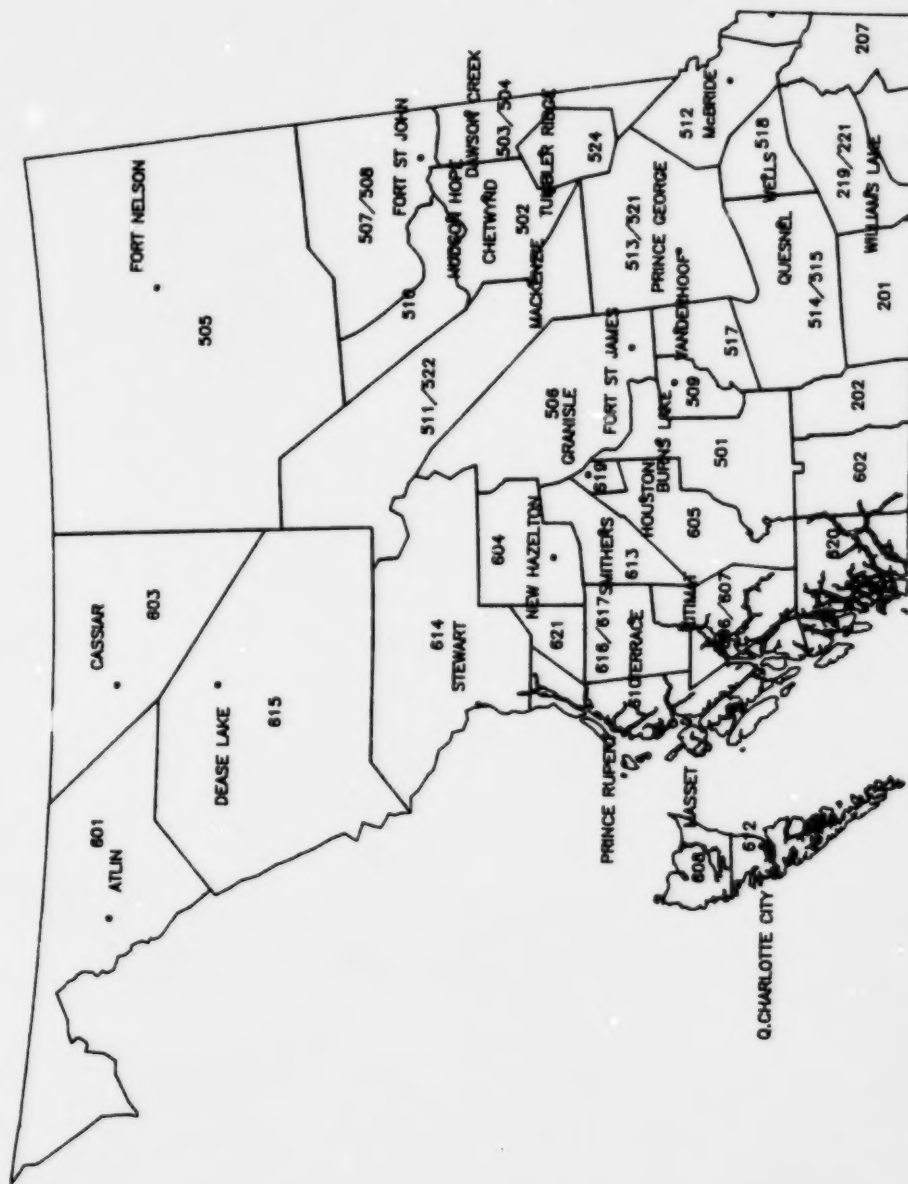
# SOUTHWEST POLICING JURISDICTIONS



# SOUTHEAST POLICING JURISDICTIONS

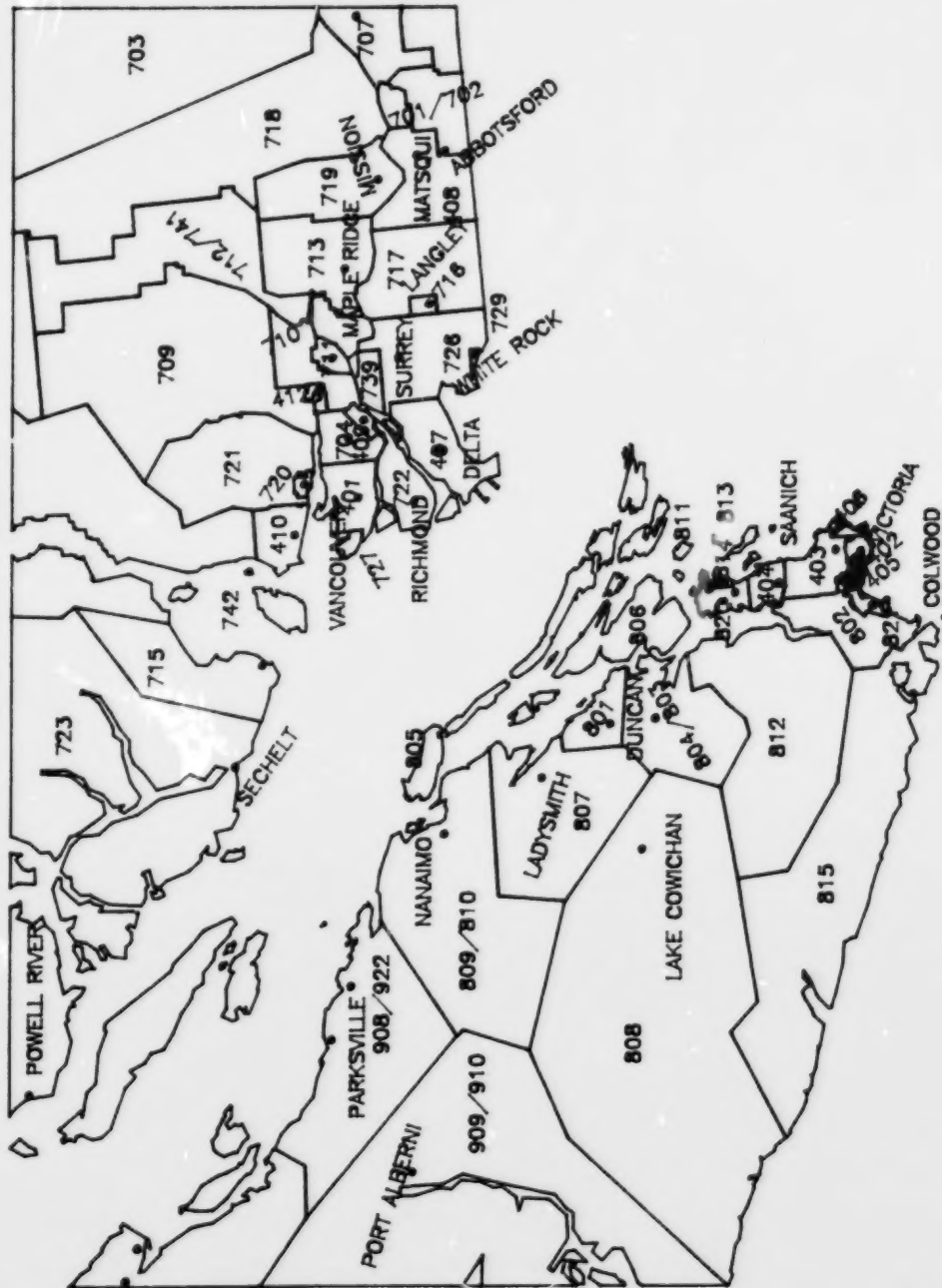


# NORTHERN POLICING JURISDICTIONS



# GREATER VANCOUVER AND GREATER VICTORIA

## Policing Jurisdictions





## OVERVIEW OF UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING (UCR) SYSTEM

The offence and persons charged data contained in this SUMMARY STATISTICS publication is the product of the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) system. This data collection system became operational in 1962 after development by Statistics Canada, with the co-operation and assistance of the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police. Although some details of the data collection system have been modified at different points in the history of the programme, the fundamentals of the process have remained constant, producing an historical data file, most of which can be compared over the twenty-six year history. The reports in this publication only contain data from the last twelve years, 1977 to 1988.

### THE MEASUREMENT OF CRIME

The Uniform Crime Reporting System was designed to produce an indicator of the incidence of crime in Canadian society. There are a number of ways of measuring the incidence of crime and each method will yield a different result. The characteristics of the counting process will affect the count which is obtained. Different data collection systems will produce different figures of the same series of events since the count of events is a reflection of the definitions which are used and the manner in which the data are gathered.

The process of measuring the incidence of crime is complicated by the great diversity of human behaviours which are considered to be criminal. One can conceive of a very wide spectrum of criminal human behaviours from the most trivial (an occasional truancy) to the most serious (homicide). It is unlikely that a single data collection system could be designed to deal with this broad diversity of events. Different data collection methods will be sensitive to different parts of the spectrum.

The Uniform Crime Reporting project was designed to have the local law enforcement agencies as respondents. This characteristic has very significant ramifications for the correct interpretation of UCR crime data. This means that the UCR project can contain, at most, information on only those crimes which come to the attention of police. The UCR crime data, therefore, do not contain a count of all crimes in Canada: some crimes are never detected; some which are detected are never brought to the attention of the police and as a result, these criminal events can never be recorded by the UCR project.

The fact that UCR data are based on a count of those criminal events which are known to the police means that the crimes that are counted by the UCR system are a subset of all crimes in Canada. But this characteristic also means that all the crimes which are included in the UCR data system have successfully passed a basic criterion - each of the crimes which is counted in the UCR system was thought by someone (a citizen or a law enforcement officer) to require the attention of the police who would take the appropriate action.

In the past few years criminal victimization surveys have been developed and these surveys produce data which is complementary to the UCR data. The Canadian Urban Victimization Survey contacted individuals by phone and asked these respondents whether they or any member of their family had been the victim of a crime over the past year. Victimization surveys contain information on a greater number of criminal incidents than the UCR system because victims are asked to describe all

incidents, both those which were reported to the police as well as those incidents which were not reported to the police. Victimization surveys contain methodological features which preclude information on homicide, kidnapping, "victimless" crimes, infrequent criminal events, crimes committed against commercial or public property as well as crimes committed against persons less than sixteen years of age. In general, the relationship between victimization survey results and official police statistics is still being defined but these two survey methods produce different statistical perspectives on the same general phenomenon.

#### UCR COUNTING PROCEDURES

The data elements in the UCR data collection system are divided into two parts: the first part is concerned with the counting of offences; the second with the counting of the persons associated with those offences. It is appropriate to discuss the offence part of the data collection system first.

#### THE OFFENCE: THE BASIC UNIT OF COUNT

The UCR counting process is initiated by the fact that a criminal incident is either brought or naturally comes to the attention of the police. The investigating police complete an occurrence report which forms the basis of the reporting system.

The information contained in the occurrence report is used to determine both the nature and the number of offences in the incident. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes. (There are standard rules for determining the most serious offence if the crimes in the incident are of the same general order of severity.) The determination of the number of offences which have occurred in a particular criminal incident is dependent on the nature of the crimes committed. For violent crimes (homicide, attempted murder, assault, sexual offences, and abduction), the number of offences which is recorded is equal to the number of victims in the incident. (If one person murders three people, then three offences are recorded, but if three people murder one person, only one offence is recorded.) For property crimes, the number of offences recorded is equal to the number of distinct or separate incidents. For example, in an incident where several privately owned vehicles parked in one block are all spray painted with what appears to be paint from the same spray can, it is concluded that one incident occurred and therefore one offence mischief/property damage is recorded. A Uniform Crime Reporting Manual with a detailed description of the scoring rules is made available to all of the respondents and training sessions are conducted at regular periodic intervals and when specifically requested.

There are important ramifications which result from these basic scoring rules. The Most Serious Offence (MSO) rule means that the total number of offences in the program is equal to the number of victims of violent crimes plus the number of separate incidents of property and other crimes. This means that the number of UCR offences is thus clearly not a census of all crimes or violations of the law which come to the attention of the police.

Because violent and property crimes are scored differently, it means that these two types of offence data are disparate and comparisons between them should be made with caution.

The operation of the MSO Rule will also tend to underestimate the true incidence of relatively less serious crimes which come to the attention of the police because these crimes will only be counted when they do not occur in conjunction with a more serious crime in the same incident.

#### REPORTED AND ACTUAL OFFENCES: THE PROCESS OF UNFOUNDING

When a member of the public calls the police with a report that a crime has been committed, the offence is recorded as a "reported" offence. These reported offences are subject to a preliminary investigation to determine the validity of the report. Occasionally, offences reported to the police may not have really happened or been attempted; these offences are recorded as "unfounded". For example, a car which is reported stolen may turn out to have been borrowed by another family member.

Unfounded offences are subtracted from the number of reported offences to produce the number of "actual" offences. It is the actual offence category which is the most frequently referred to category.

In this publication, offences always refers to actual, rather than reported, offences.

#### THE CLEARANCE OF ACTUAL OFFENCES

Actual offences are investigated and evidence is gathered. In British Columbia, when the police feel that they know the identity of at least one of the people who committed the offences, a Report to Crown Counsel (RCC) is completed and forwarded to the local Crown Counsel office: in other words, the police are recommending to the Crown that the alleged offender be charged with at least one offence. From a statistical point of view, the recommendation to charge means that at least one actual offence can be "cleared by charge", and this can happen even though the accused has not been apprehended by the police.

Sometimes the police cannot recommend a charge, even though they feel they have identified the offender and have enough evidence to support this charge. This would happen, for example, in the case of diplomatic immunity, or if the victim refuses to sign a complaint, or if the alleged offender dies before he/she can be formally charged. Such offences are considered to be solved but are identified separately as "cleared otherwise", that is, other than by completing an RCC recommending that Crown Counsel charge the offender. It should be noted that more than one actual offence can be "cleared" by the completion of one RCC. Furthermore, the charges which are recommended by the police need not include the most serious violation in the incident as recorded in the UCR system.

While data on clearance of offences is contained in the Police Management Information System, there are no reports in this publication which include this data.

#### THE ELEMENT OF TIME AND UCR COUNTING

UCR data are reported monthly by each of the reporting police departments and are available on this basis to interested users. An incident is recorded into the UCR system against the month in which it comes to the attention of police, regardless of when the incident actually took place.

Since the process of solving a crime is a time consuming one, it often happens that a criminal incident is solved, and thus cleared, in a month (or even a year) later than the month in which the incident is reported to the police and recorded in the UCR system. This means that there is no exact mathematical relationship between the number of actual offences and the number of cleared offences in any month or even on a yearly basis. It is theoretically possible to have a greater number of "cleared offences" than "actual offences", although this rarely happens in practice except in the case of monthly reports of relatively infrequent crime types such as homicide.

#### COUNTING PERSONS IN THE UCR DATA COLLECTION SYSTEM

As well as the offences, the UCR system also counts the persons who are associated with these offences. When an offence is cleared by charge, a count is kept of the persons who are charged. These "persons charged" are subdivided into "adults charged" and "juveniles charged", and each of these two categories are further subdivided into male and female. It should be noted that in this publication reference to "persons charged" means persons "recommended for charge by the police".

The data element of "persons charged" reflects the number of people against whom legal actions were recommended by the police, but does not count the total number of charges which were actually recommended (by police) or actually laid (by Crown Counsel) against this group of people. A person who is simultaneously recommended for charge with more than one offence is counted only once against the most serious offence, even if the offences occurred in more than one incident. There is no information regarding the total number of charges recommended, which means that correlations with Court data are difficult.

In addition, these person counts do not represent an unduplicated count of individuals "charged" during the year; the same individual is counted on each different occasion that the police recommend a charge against them.

Finally, persons charged data refer to those persons who were recommended for charge in connection with the offences shown but who may actually have been charged with a lesser offence. For example, a person commits an offence of "breaking and entering" but because of better evidence, may be charged by Crown Counsel with "having stolen goods in their possession". The offence of "breaking and entering" would be scored and the persons data would be scored with the offence of "breaking and entering". In this instance, the offence of "having stolen goods in their possession" would not be scored.

UCR data is collected in an aggregate fashion on a monthly basis from each police department. In the form in which the data are received, it is not possible to identify the characteristics of a particular criminal incident. The aggregate nature of the data means that offence and persons data are irrevocably confounded - there is no way to apportion the offences to the number of people involved.

The above Overview of the Uniform Crime Reporting system is based on the "Introduction" contained in the Canadian Crime Statistics Books published annually by the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, Statistics Canada, Ottawa. Excerpts from this Statistics Canada publication have been edited or expanded to directly address the situation in British Columbia.

POLICE MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM



# **BRITISH COLUMBIA**

**Report Nos.**

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BRITISH COLUMBIA: AUTHORIZED STRENGTH BY RESPONSIBILITY, 1977 TO 1988.

| RESPONSIBILITY                          | AUTHORIZED STRENGTH |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                         | 1977                | 1978  | 1979  | 1980  | 1981  | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  |
| <u>RCMP "E" DIVISION ADMINISTRATION</u> |                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Total Authorized Strength               | 101                 | 104   | 104   | 101   | 104   | 105   | 103   | 103   | 106   | 106   | 113   | 114   |
| <u>RCMP FEDERAL FORCE</u>               |                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Federal Criminal Law                    | 464                 | 496   | 496   | 498   | 505   | 531   | 546   | 549   | 560   | 562   | 575   | 587   |
| Indian Special Constables               | 23                  | 23    | 19    | 35    | 42    | 43    | 47    | 47    | 47    | 47    | 47    | 47    |
| International Airports                  | 38                  | 36    | 36    | 36    | 35    | 35    | 35    | 35    | 35    | 35    | 69    | 79    |
| Protective Policing                     | 21                  | 22    | 22    | 22    | 23    | 22    | 24    | 25    | 29    | 77    | 117   | 119   |
| Total Authorized Strength               | 546                 | 577   | 573   | 591   | 605   | 631   | 652   | 656   | 671   | 721   | 808   | 832   |
| <u>RCMP PROVINCIAL</u>                  |                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Provincial Force Headquarters           | 148                 | 154   | 154   | 152   | 154   | 151   | 145   | 147   | 140   | 143   | 143   | 144   |
| Subdivision Headquarters                | 257                 | 275   | 303   | 327   | 375   | 378   | 395   | 394   | 405   | 411   | 418   | 416   |
| Provincial Detachments                  | 878                 | 902   | 911   | 918   | 945   | 945   | 954   | 954   | 952   | 950   | 943   | 944   |
| Total Authorized Strength               | 1,283               | 1,331 | 1,368 | 1,397 | 1,474 | 1,474 | 1,494 | 1,495 | 1,497 | 1,504 | 1,504 | 1,504 |
| <u>RCMP MUNICIPAL</u>                   |                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Total Authorized Strength               | 1,540               | 1,594 | 1,632 | 1,684 | 1,754 | 1,804 | 1,827 | 1,836 | 1,854 | 1,873 | 1,900 | 1,938 |
| <u>INDEPENDENT MUNICIPAL</u>            |                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Total Authorized Strength               | 1,573               | 1,566 | 1,597 | 1,661 | 1,681 | 1,685 | 1,680 | 1,674 | 1,667 | 1,721 | 1,717 | 1,736 |
| <u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>                 |                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| TOTAL AUTHORIZED STRENGTH               | 5,043               | 5,172 | 5,274 | 5,434 | 5,618 | 5,699 | 5,756 | 5,764 | 5,795 | 5,925 | 6,042 | 6,124 |

DATA QUALIFIERS

1. Authorized strength, which includes all sworn members, is based on the authorized strength as of December 31st, of each calendar year. In the case of the RCMP, authorized strength also includes sworn civilian members (CM). In 1988 there were 3 CM's in "E" Division Administration; 38 CM's in the Federal Force; 196 CM's in the RCMP Provincial Force; and 1 CM in the RCMP Municipal Forces. These figures do not include non sworn civilian support staff. It should also be noted that the authorized strength for RCMP Subdivision Headquarters includes units dedicated to freeway patrol; in 1988 there were 64 authorized positions assigned to this function.
2. The authorized strength of the RCMP is obtained from the EO-5 Report dated December 31st of each calendar year.
3. The RCMP Provincial Force polices all municipalities under 5,000 population as well as all unincorporated areas in the Province.
4. In British Columbia, municipalities become responsible for the provision of municipal police services when the Canada Census indicates that their population exceeds 5,000. In British Columbia there are 12 municipalities which have formed their own "independent" police departments, and 43 which contract with the RCMP for municipal police services. In addition, there are eight municipalities which contract with the Province to be policed by the RCMP Provincial Force on a fee for service basis; the authorized strength of these eight municipalities is included in the RCMP Provincial Force figures.

SOURCES: EO-5 REPORTS, "E" Division, Royal Canadian Mounted Police  
Independent Municipal Police Departments

PREPARED BY: Police Services, Ministry of Solicitor General

DATE: September 5, 1989

BRITISH COLUMBIA: CONTRIBUTION TO POLICING BY MUNICIPAL, PROVINCIAL AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENTS  
IN FISCAL YEAR 1988/89.

| TYPE OF FORCE                                    | POPULATION POLICED IN 1988 | TOTAL POLICE COSTS PAID BY: |              |              |               |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
|                                                  |                            | MUN GOVT                    | PROV GOVT    | FED GOVT     | TOTAL         |
| 12 INDEPENDENT MUNICIPAL FORCES                  | 887,185                    | \$114,899,129               | 0            | 0            | \$114,899,129 |
| 23 RCMP MUNICIPAL FORCES Over 15,000 Pop (1)     | 1,242,477                  | \$114,969,458               | 0            | \$13,796,335 | \$128,765,793 |
| 20 RCMP MUNICIPAL FORCES 5,000 to 15,000 Pop (1) | 194,174                    | \$ 17,078,330               | 0            | \$ 5,806,632 | \$22,884,962  |
| RCMP PROVINCIAL FORCE:(2)                        |                            |                             |              |              |               |
| 8 "Extended" Muns                                | 60,060                     | \$ 2,970,000                |              |              | \$ 2,970,000  |
| 82 Muns under 5,000 Pop                          | 146,602                    | 0                           | \$85,597,989 | \$41,429,348 | \$127,027,337 |
| Unincorporated Areas                             | 453,502                    | Partial                     |              |              |               |
| TOTAL                                            | 2,984,000                  | \$249,916,917               | \$85,597,989 | \$61,032,315 | \$396,547,221 |

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) The groupings for the RCMP municipal forces over and under 15,000 population are based on the 1986 Canada Census figures, not on the 1988 estimates given in the column at right.
- (2) The final figures for the provincial and federal share of actual costs for the RCMP Provincial Force for fiscal year 1988/89 are subject to minor adjustments, pending a final reconciliation.

## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. All expenditure figures shown above for the federal and provincial governments, as well as the 8 municipalities with "extended" RCMP contracts, represent the costs paid in fiscal year 1988/89. The expenditure figures for municipalities with independent and RCMP municipal forces represent the costs paid by them in calendar year 1988.
2. Expenditure figures for the 43 municipalities with RCMP municipal forces include both the contract costs, and those costs paid by the municipality which are over and above the contract costs (for example, support staff salaries and benefits, and accommodation costs). However, federal government expenditure figures for RCMP municipal policing only represent their share of the contract costs, and exclude costs borne by the federal government which are over and above the contract costs.
3. Seven municipalities became responsible for policing as a result of the 1981 Canada Census. In 1987 as a result of incorporation under the Municipal Act, one additional municipality over 5,000 was created. These eight municipalities contract with the Province for RCMP Provincial Force services on a fee-for-service basis and are called "extended" policing jurisdictions.
4. The 82 municipalities under 5,000 population make no contribution towards their policing services.
5. The unincorporated areas of the Province make no direct contribution towards their policing services. However, part of the rural property tax levy could be considered as partially offsetting their police costs.
6. In 1990/91, the final year of the current 10 year RCMP Policing Agreements, municipalities over 15,000 population will be paying 90% of their contract policing costs, and municipalities between 5,000 and 15,000 will be paying 70% of their contract costs. In the same year the Province will be paying 70% of provincial policing costs.

**SOURCES:** Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations  
Municipalities with Independent Police Forces  
Municipalities with RCMP Municipal Forces  
"E" Division Headquarters, Royal Canadian Mounted Police

**PREPARED BY:** Police Services, Ministry of Solicitor General

**DATE:** September 20, 1989

BRITISH COLUMBIA: CRIMINAL CODE - PROPERTY, PERSONS, OTHER AND TOTAL; NUMBER OF OFFENCES, RATE PER 1000 POPULATION, AND NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED; % INCREASE OVER 1987, AND POPULATION, 1977 TO 1988.

NUMBER OF OFFENCES

| Offence Category         | 1977    | 1978    | 1979    | 1980    | 1981    | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    | % Inc over '87 |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
| Criminal Code - Property | 166,410 | 178,314 | 180,255 | 196,279 | 217,181 | 237,410 | 241,163 | 244,265 | 243,537 | 251,084 | 250,279 | 244,672 | -2.2%          |
| Criminal Code - Persons  | 21,181  | 22,165  | 24,630  | 27,581  | 29,213  | 31,787  | 29,594  | 31,376  | 32,843  | 36,429  | 37,205  | 38,726  | 4.1%           |
| Criminal Code - Other    | 83,870  | 86,237  | 90,145  | 94,422  | 101,181 | 108,737 | 106,168 | 103,373 | 103,954 | 113,956 | 117,578 | 123,026 | 4.6%           |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL    | 271,461 | 286,716 | 295,030 | 318,282 | 347,575 | 377,934 | 376,925 | 379,014 | 380,334 | 401,469 | 405,062 | 406,424 | 0.3%           |

RATE PER 1000 POPULATION

| Offence Category         | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 | % Inc over '87 |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|----------------|
| Criminal Code - Property | 67   | 70   | 70   | 74   | 79   | 85   | 86   | 86   | 85   | 87   | 86   | 82   | -4.2%          |
| Criminal Code - Persons  | 8    | 9    | 10   | 10   | 11   | 11   | 11   | 11   | 11   | 13   | 13   | 13   | 2.1%           |
| Criminal Code - Other    | 34   | 34   | 35   | 35   | 37   | 39   | 38   | 36   | 36   | 39   | 40   | 41   | 2.5%           |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL    | 109  | 113  | 114  | 119  | 127  | 136  | 134  | 133  | 133  | 139  | 138  | 136  | -1.6%          |

NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED

| Offence Category         | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   | % Inc over '87 |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------------|
| Criminal Code - Property | 26,399 | 30,617 | 26,309 | 31,871 | 35,561 | 35,927 | 36,829 | 34,715 | 34,678 | 34,491 | 32,880 | 32,349 | -1.6%          |
| Criminal Code - Persons  | 6,081  | 6,317  | 6,432  | 7,498  | 7,416  | 7,042  | 7,366  | 8,411  | 9,407  | 10,707 | 11,080 | 12,276 | 10.8%          |
| Criminal Code - Other    | 13,138 | 13,246 | 13,248 | 15,187 | 15,198 | 13,230 | 12,543 | 10,985 | 10,278 | 12,062 | 12,180 | 12,489 | 2.5%           |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL    | 45,618 | 50,180 | 45,989 | 54,556 | 58,175 | 56,199 | 56,738 | 54,111 | 54,363 | 57,260 | 56,140 | 57,114 | 1.7%           |

POPULATION

| Unit             | 1977      | 1978      | 1979      | 1980      | 1981      | 1982      | 1983      | 1984      | 1985      | 1986      | 1987      | 1988      |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| British Columbia | 2,499,400 | 2,542,300 | 2,589,400 | 2,666,000 | 2,744,467 | 2,787,554 | 2,813,767 | 2,847,574 | 2,870,099 | 2,889,207 | 2,925,700 | 2,984,000 |

DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious offence is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences where a single incident with multiple victims is scored as only one offence, police score one offence for every victim of a "violent" crime, i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences.
2. Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person, and other offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons, as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage. Criminal Code - Traffic offences are not included in Criminal Code - Total.



DATA QUALIFIERS Cont'd

3. Charged means the police filed a Report to Crown Counsel alleging an offence, but does not necessarily imply the swearing of an information, prosecution or conviction. Crown Counsel may return the case to police due to insufficient evidence, take no further action, or, in the case of young offenders, issue a letter of caution, or approve alternative measures.
4. Canada Census occurred in the years 1976, 1981, and 1986; population figures for 1981 and 1986 are based on the Census results of that particular year. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.
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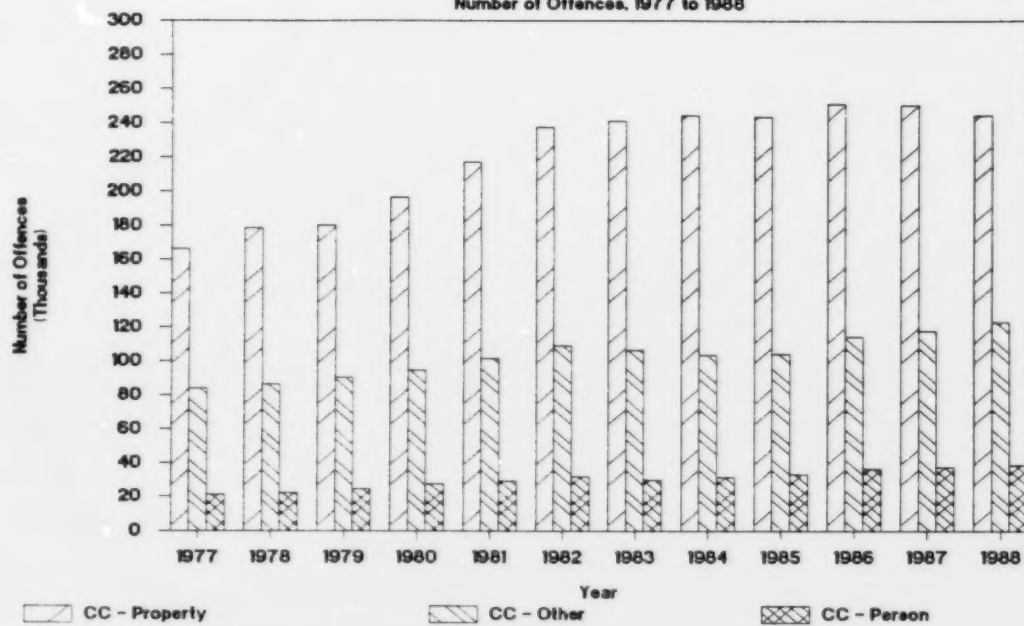
SOURCES: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)  
Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations

PREPARED BY: Police Services, Ministry of Solicitor General  
DATE: June 22, 1989



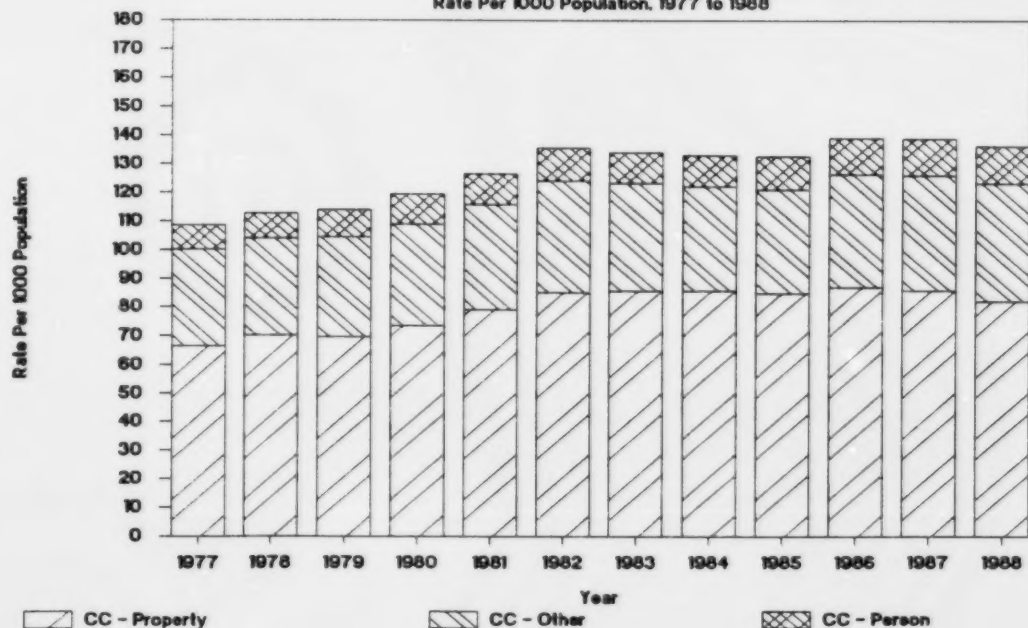
### British Columbia Criminal Code Offences

Number of Offences, 1977 to 1988



### British Columbia Crime Rate

Rate Per 1000 Population, 1977 to 1988



BRITISH COLUMBIA: CRIMINAL CODE - PERSONS; NUMBER OF OFFENCES AGAINST PERSONS, RATE PER 1000 POPULATION, AND NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED, % INCREASE OVER 1987, AND POPULATION, 1977 TO 1988.

NUMBER OF OFFENCES

| Offence Category         | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   | % Inc over '87 |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------------|
| Total Homicide           | 94     | 84     | 86     | 104    | 107    | 110    | 110    | 112    | 113    | 87     | 78     | 81     | 4%             |
| Total Attempted Murder   | 98     | 93     | 84     | 99     | 118    | 140    | 113    | 106    | 82     | 106    | 95     | 106    | 12%            |
| Total Sex Offences       | 1,646  | 1,864  | 1,763  | 1,948  | 2,201  | 2,536  | 2,696  | 3,263  | 3,660  | 4,408  | 4,889  | 5,348  | 9%             |
| Total Assaults - Non Sex | 17,231 | 17,735 | 20,499 | 22,781 | 23,688 | 24,942 | 23,117 | 24,518 | 25,716 | 28,525 | 29,009 | 29,793 | 3%             |
| Total Robbery            | 2,112  | 2,389  | 2,198  | 2,649  | 3,099  | 4,059  | 3,469  | 3,243  | 3,140  | 3,182  | 3,005  | 3,253  | 8%             |
| Total Abduction          |        |        |        |        |        |        | 89     | 134    | 132    | 121    | 129    | 145    | 12%            |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSONS  | 21,181 | 22,165 | 24,630 | 27,581 | 29,213 | 31,787 | 29,594 | 31,376 | 32,843 | 36,429 | 37,205 | 38,726 | 4%             |

RATE PER 1000 POPULATION

| Offence Category         | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980  | 1981  | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  | % Inc over '87 |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|
| Total Homicide           | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.03  | 0.03  | 0.03  | 2%             |
| Total Attempted Murder   | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.05  | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.03  | 0.04  | 0.03  | 0.04  | 9%             |
| Total Sex Offences       | 0.66 | 0.73 | 0.68 | 0.73  | 0.80  | 0.91  | 0.96  | 1.15  | 1.28  | 1.53  | 1.67  | 1.79  | 7%             |
| Total Assaults - Non Sex | 6.89 | 6.98 | 7.92 | 8.55  | 8.63  | 8.95  | 8.22  | 8.61  | 8.96  | 9.87  | 9.92  | 9.98  | 1%             |
| Total Robbery            | 0.85 | 0.94 | 0.85 | 0.99  | 1.13  | 1.46  | 1.23  | 1.14  | 1.09  | 1.10  | 1.03  | 1.09  | 6%             |
| Total Abduction          |      |      |      |       |       |       | 0.03  | 0.05  | 0.05  | 0.04  | 0.04  | 0.05  | 10%            |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSONS  | 8.47 | 8.72 | 9.51 | 10.35 | 10.64 | 11.40 | 10.52 | 11.02 | 11.44 | 12.61 | 12.72 | 12.98 | 2%             |

NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED

| Offence Category         | 1977  | 1978  | 1979  | 1980  | 1981  | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   | % Inc over '87 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|----------------|
| Total Homicide           | 72    | 68    | 88    | 95    | 89    | 80    | 88    | 84    | 99    | 69     | 75     | 61     | -18%           |
| Total Attempted Murder   | 97    | 85    | 78    | 93    | 105   | 114   | 89    | 75    | 79    | 79     | 68     | 89     | 31%            |
| Total Sex Offences       | 496   | 555   | 522   | 557   | 572   | 604   | 737   | 883   | 1,135 | 1,328  | 1,456  | 1,761  | 20%            |
| Total Assaults - Non Sex | 4,605 | 4,660 | 5,048 | 5,800 | 5,635 | 5,215 | 5,430 | 6,330 | 7,174 | 8,300  | 8,669  | 9,519  | 10%            |
| Total Robbery            | 811   | 949   | 696   | 953   | 1,015 | 1,029 | 1,000 | 1,013 | 897   | 897    | 785    | 809    | 3%             |
| Total Abduction          |       |       |       |       |       |       | 22    | 25    | 23    | 34     | 27     | 37     | 37%            |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSONS  | 6,081 | 6,317 | 6,432 | 7,498 | 7,416 | 7,042 | 7,366 | 8,410 | 9,407 | 10,707 | 11,080 | 12,276 | 11%            |

POPULATION

| Unit             | 1977      | 1978      | 1979      | 1980      | 1981      | 1982      | 1983      | 1984      | 1985      | 1986      | 1987      | 1988      |
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DATA QUALIFIERS Cont'd

3. Total Homicide includes 4 UCR offence categories: Murder, 1st Degree; Murder, 2nd Degree; Manslaughter, and Infanticide.

4. Prior to January 1983, Total Sex Offences included offence categories: Rape, Indecent Assault - Female, Indecent Assault - Male, and Other Sex Offences. These offence categories were repealed, in January 1983, and replaced with offence categories: Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3, Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2, Sex Assault - Level 1, and Total Other Sex Offences. It should be noted, however, that police, from 1983 to 1985, continued to score some offence and persons data to the repealed offence categories. As a result, Total Sex Offence data for these years represents not only scoring under the new categories, but also scoring under the offence categories which they replaced.

5. Prior to January 1983, Total Assaults - Non Sex included offence categories: Wounding, Bodily Harm, Police, Other Peace-Public Officer, and Other Assaults. These offence categories were repealed, in January 1983, and replaced with offence categories: Assault - Level 1, Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm - Level 2, Aggravated Assault - Level 3, Unlawful Bodily Harm, Shoot With Intent, Assault Police, Assault Other Officers, and Other Assault. It should be noted, however, that police, from 1983 to 1986, continued to score some offence and persons data to the repealed offence categories. As a result, Total Assaults - Non Sex data for these years represents not only scoring under the new categories, but also scoring under the offence categories which they replaced.

6. Total Robbery includes 3 UCR offence categories: Robbery with Firearms, Robbery with Other Offensive Weapons, and Other Robbery.

7. Total Abduction, which came into effect January 1983, includes 4 UCR offence categories: Abduction - Under 14, Abduction - Under 16, Abduction - Contravening Custody Order, and Abduction - No Custody Order.

8. Caution should be used in the interpretation of the percentage changes in the volume of offences. If the number of recorded offences is small, the percentage change is often very large. As a result, the percentage change may exaggerate the actual change in volume, and therefore, as an indicator of the trend in the incidence of that type of offence, it may be misleading.

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SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)  
Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations

PREPARED BY: Police Services,  
Ministry of Solicitor General

DATE: June 22, 1989

BRITISH COLUMBIA: UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING (UCR) NON-TRAFFIC OFFENCE CATEGORIES: NUMBER OF OFFENCES AND POPULATION, 1977 TO 1988.

NUMBER OF OFFENCES

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                  | 1977          | 1978          | 1979          | 1980          | 1981          | 1982          | 1983          | 1984          | 1985          | 1986          | 1987          | 1988          |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>HOMICIDES</b>                      |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Murder, 1st Degree                    | 27            | 21            | 28            | 33            | 46            | 21            | 40            | 43            | 32            | 28            | 26            | 32            |
| Murder, 2nd Degree                    | 59            | 60            | 50            | 65            | 53            | 74            | 62            | 61            | 72            | 51            | 46            | 43            |
| Manslaughter                          | 8             | 3             | 6             | 6             | 8             | 14            | 8             | 8             | 8             | 7             | 6             | 6             |
| Infanticide                           | 0             | 0             | 2             | 0             | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 1             | 0             | 0             |
| <b>TOTAL HOMICIDE</b>                 | <b>94</b>     | <b>84</b>     | <b>86</b>     | <b>104</b>    | <b>107</b>    | <b>110</b>    | <b>110</b>    | <b>112</b>    | <b>113</b>    | <b>87</b>     | <b>78</b>     | <b>81</b>     |
| <b>ATTEMPTED MURDERS</b>              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>TOTAL ATTEMPTED MURDER</b>         | <b>98</b>     | <b>93</b>     | <b>84</b>     | <b>99</b>     | <b>118</b>    | <b>140</b>    | <b>113</b>    | <b>106</b>    | <b>82</b>     | <b>106</b>    | <b>95</b>     | <b>106</b>    |
| <b>SEX OFFENCES</b>                   |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Sex Assault - Level 1 (1)             |               |               |               |               |               |               | 1,929         | 2,524         | 3,112         | 3,847         | 57            | 72            |
| Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2 (1) |               |               |               |               |               |               | 135           | 148           | 114           | 135           | 132           | 160           |
| Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3 (1)  |               |               |               |               |               |               | 113           | 110           | 71            | 61            | 4,351         | 4,824         |
| Total Other Sex Offences (1)          |               |               |               |               |               |               | 502           | 481           | 362           | 365           | 349           | 292           |
| <b>TOTAL SEX OFFENCES</b>             | <b>1,646</b>  | <b>1,864</b>  | <b>1,763</b>  | <b>1,948</b>  | <b>2,201</b>  | <b>2,536</b>  | <b>2,696</b>  | <b>3,263</b>  | <b>3,660</b>  | <b>4,408</b>  | <b>4,889</b>  | <b>5,348</b>  |
| <b>NON-SEXUAL ASSAULTS</b>            |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Assault Level 1 (2)                   |               |               |               |               |               |               | 14,826        | 17,403        | 18,996        | 21,643        | 22,546        | 22,536        |
| Asslt w. Weapon/Bod.Harm-Level 2 (2)  |               |               |               |               |               |               | 4,085         | 4,373         | 4,125         | 4,366         | 4,005         | 4,620         |
| Aggravated Assault - Level 3 (2)      |               |               |               |               |               |               | 600           | 615           | 562           | 496           | 364           | 346           |
| Unlawful Bodily Harm (2)              |               |               |               |               |               |               | 896           | 1,067         | 1,229         | 1,144         | 1,120         | 1,308         |
| Shoot with Intent (2)                 |               |               |               |               |               |               | 16            | 35            | 37            | 41            | 39            | 34            |
| Assault Police (2)                    |               |               |               |               |               |               | 660           | 560           | 560           | 591           | 665           | 624           |
| Assault Other Officers (2)            |               |               |               |               |               |               | 81            | 61            | 49            | 66            | 50            | 64            |
| Other Assault (2)                     |               |               |               |               |               |               | 1,797         | 404           | 158           | 178           | 220           | 261           |
| <b>TOTAL ASSAULTS - NON SEX</b>       | <b>17,231</b> | <b>17,735</b> | <b>20,499</b> | <b>22,781</b> | <b>23,688</b> | <b>24,942</b> | <b>23,117</b> | <b>24,518</b> | <b>25,716</b> | <b>28,525</b> | <b>29,009</b> | <b>29,793</b> |
| <b>ABDUCTION OFFENCES</b>             |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Abduction - Under 14 (3)              |               |               |               |               |               |               | 31            | 51            | 46            | 43            | 40            | 45            |
| Abduction - Under 16 (3)              |               |               |               |               |               |               | 12            | 5             | 8             | 4             | 2             | 8             |
| Abduction - Cont. Custody Order (3)   |               |               |               |               |               |               | 27            | 46            | 49            | 42            | 49            | 58            |
| Abduction - No Custody Order (3)      |               |               |               |               |               |               | 19            | 32            | 29            | 32            | 38            | 34            |
| <b>TOTAL ABDUCTION</b>                | <b>89</b>     | <b>134</b>    | <b>132</b>    | <b>121</b>    | <b>121</b>    | <b>129</b>    | <b>145</b>    | <b>145</b>    | <b>145</b>    | <b>145</b>    | <b>145</b>    | <b>145</b>    |
| <b>ROBBERY OFFENCES</b>               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Robbery with Firearms                 | 391           | 453           | 333           | 416           | 485           | 876           | 776           | 737           | 627           | 570           | 604           | 601           |
| Robbery with Other Offensive Weapon   | 506           | 457           | 472           | 581           | 760           | 1,014         | 832           | 858           | 852           | 805           | 755           | 856           |
| Other Robbery                         | 1,215         | 1,479         | 1,393         | 1,652         | 1,854         | 2,169         | 1,861         | 1,648         | 1,661         | 1,807         | 1,646         | 1,796         |
| <b>TOTAL ROBBERY</b>                  | <b>2,112</b>  | <b>2,389</b>  | <b>2,198</b>  | <b>2,649</b>  | <b>3,099</b>  | <b>4,059</b>  | <b>3,469</b>  | <b>3,243</b>  | <b>3,140</b>  | <b>3,182</b>  | <b>3,005</b>  | <b>3,253</b>  |



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## NUMBER OF OFFENCES

## UCR OFFENSE CATEGORY

1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1982 1983 1984 1985 1986 1987 1988

## BREAK AND ENTER OFFENSES

Break and Enter - Business Premises 13,101 14,118 13,449 14,758 18,016 19,451 17,598 17,477 15,832 16,320 15,939 14,467

Break and Enter - Residence 23,129 25,347 23,314 25,783 28,309 30,718 33,775 33,895 33,686 36,745 36,898 33,954

Break and Enter - Other 5,087 5,120 5,934 6,245 7,248 7,330 8,345 9,410 9,609 9,932 10,191 9,237

## TOTAL BREAK AND ENTER

41,317 44,585 42,697 46,786 53,573 57,499 59,918 60,782 59,127 62,997 63,028 57,658

## MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

Automobile Theft 8,153 7,823 7,676 7,865 8,500 7,982 6,641 6,518 7,259 7,379 7,538 8,538

Truck Theft 1,892 2,202 2,612 2,845 2,962 2,847 2,447 2,444 2,643 2,739 2,578 2,979

Motorcycle Theft 956 1,180 1,265 1,368 1,715 1,671 1,592 1,680 1,540 1,568 1,462 1,094

Other Motor Vehicle Theft 276 358 357 298 396 555 378 383 435 371 379 351

## TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

11,277 11,563 11,910 12,376 13,573 13,055 11,058 11,025 11,877 12,057 11,957 12,962

## THEFT OFFENSES

Bicycle Theft (4) 16,392 17,693 19,156 18,691 19,119 22,001 24,612 24,698 22,018 20,881 20,416 16,776

Theft from Motor Vehicle (4) 30,460 33,437 34,427 40,709 46,449 52,575 54,782 56,883 60,035 65,476 69,050 72,405

Shoplifting (4) 10,329 11,831 11,391 12,304 13,757 16,368 17,557 17,685 18,688 18,189 18,321 18,351

Other Theft (4) 38,480 41,093 42,692 45,754 49,954 54,850 53,620 53,956 53,829 53,954 51,208 50,195

## TOTAL THEFT (4)

95,661 104,054 107,666 117,458 129,279 145,794 150,571 153,222 154,570 158,500 159,995 157,727

## HAVE STOLEN GOODS

## TOTAL HAVE STOLEN GOODS

2,600 2,560 2,420 2,499 2,771 3,640 3,510 3,314 3,385 3,595 3,612 3,863

## FRAUD OFFENSES

Cheque Frauds 9,708 9,826 9,002 9,234 9,318 8,934 8,187 8,411 7,226 6,046 5,090 5,002

Credit Card Frauds 1,574 1,210 1,615 1,887 1,740 2,574 2,405 2,404 2,277 2,114 1,705 1,837

Other Frauds 4,273 4,516 4,945 6,039 6,927 5,914 5,514 5,107 5,075 5,775 5,892 5,623

## TOTAL FRAUDS

15,555 15,552 15,562 17,160 17,985 17,422 16,106 15,922 14,578 13,935 12,687 12,462

## PROSTITUTION

Bawdy House 43 16 23 27 14 18 15 12 10 6 9 9

Procuring 5 7 5 8 1 11 4 1 12 5 7 16

Other Prostitution (16) 340 102 69 35 11 17 24 13 8 894 1,397 1,372

## TOTAL PROSTITUTION

388 125 97 70 26 46 43 26 30 905 1,413 1,397

## GAMING AND BETTING

Betting House 2 4 2 15 5 3 4 0 2 0 1 2

Gaming House 12 2 1 15 2 11 5 5 6 2 3 2

Other Gaming & Betting 26 16 12 21 19 38 13 15 11 12 54 27

## TOTAL GAMING &amp; BETTING

40 22 15 51 26 52 22 20 19 14 58 31

## NUMBER OF OFFENCES

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                           | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    |
|------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| <b>OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                       |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Explosives                                     | 75     | 101    | 100    | 99     | 133    | 167     | 118     | 95      | 94      | 133     | 159     | 119     |
| Prohibited Weapons                             | 209    | 327    | 288    | 306    | 321    | 522     | 473     | 557     | 480     | 592     | 602     | 644     |
| Restricted Weapons                             | 307    | 339    | 289    | 240    | 284    | 347     | 347     | 292     | 307     | 367     | 338     | 369     |
| Other Offensive Weapons                        | 1,392  | 1,501  | 1,488  | 1,547  | 1,746  | 1,784   | 1,591   | 1,404   | 1,413   | 1,396   | 1,414   | 1,428   |
| TOTAL OFFENSIVE WEAPONS                        | 1,983  | 2,268  | 2,115  | 2,192  | 2,484  | 2,770   | 2,529   | 2,348   | 2,294   | 2,488   | 2,513   | 2,560   |
| <b>CRIMINAL CODE OTHER - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b> |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Arson                                          | 1,189  | 1,035  | 1,152  | 1,122  | 1,245  | 1,214   | 1,195   | 1,090   | 1,044   | 1,008   | 1,101   | 977     |
| Bail Violations                                | 2,488  | 2,640  | 2,413  | 2,612  | 3,082  | 3,464   | 3,710   | 3,068   | 2,127   | 2,803   | 1,455   | 1,630   |
| Counterfeit Currency                           | 163    | 213    | 136    | 77     | 76     | 73      | 256     | 52      | 188     | 618     | 722     | 249     |
| Disturb the Peace                              | 10,463 | 10,113 | 9,710  | 11,068 | 11,486 | 17,473  | 16,042  | 14,587  | 15,021  | 16,761  | 16,654  | 15,328  |
| Escape Custody                                 | 480    | 529    | 501    | 550    | 521    | 456     | 468     | 534     | 520     | 438     | 412     | 359     |
| Indecent Acts                                  | 1,537  | 1,720  | 1,733  | 2,050  | 2,041  | 2,014   | 1,990   | 1,931   | 1,846   | 1,905   | 1,931   | 1,939   |
| Kidnapping                                     | 65     | 51     | 88     | 93     | 110    | 141     | 106     | 99      | 90      | 95      | 78      | 80      |
| Public Morals                                  | 358    | 239    | 65     | 66     | 60     | 110     | 78      | 77      | 76      | 76      | 113     | 126     |
| Obstruct Police Officer                        | 466    | 470    | 573    | 603    | 554    | 731     | 755     | 642     | 597     | 718     | 793     | 765     |
| Prisoner at Large                              | 351    | 311    | 316    | 417    | 283    | 353     | 347     | 361     | 320     | 405     | 462     | 404     |
| Trespass - Night                               | 3,215  | 3,002  | 3,285  | 3,490  | 4,245  | 4,549   | 4,572   | 4,381   | 4,076   | 3,933   | 4,077   | 3,340   |
| Mischief and Property Damage (5)               | 46,567 | 48,041 | 52,431 | 53,370 | 56,662 | 54,322  | 51,986  | 53,561  | 54,822  | 60,696  | 64,422  | 71,432  |
| Other CC                                       | 14,117 | 15,458 | 15,515 | 16,591 | 18,280 | 20,969  | 22,069  | 20,596  | 20,884  | 21,077  | 21,374  | 22,409  |
| TOTAL OTHER CC - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC             | 81,459 | 83,822 | 87,918 | 92,109 | 98,645 | 105,869 | 103,574 | 100,979 | 101,611 | 110,549 | 113,594 | 119,038 |
| <b>HEROIN OFFENCES</b>                         |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Heroin - Possession                            | 421    | 463    | 181    | 200    | 143    | 162     | 224     | 144     | 139     | 158     | 153     | 175     |
| Heroin - Trafficking                           | 196    | 354    | 59     | 121    | 77     | 117     | 123     | 73      | 149     | 132     | 119     | 97      |
| Heroin - Importation                           | 5      | 7      | 3      | 3      | 10     | 9       | 13      | 9       | 22      | 43      | 21      | 11      |
| TOTAL HEROIN                                   | 622    | 824    | 243    | 324    | 230    | 288     | 360     | 226     | 310     | 333     | 293     | 283     |
| <b>COCAINE OFFENCES</b>                        |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Cocaine - Possession                           | 117    | 104    | 116    | 159    | 292    | 309     | 284     | 405     | 387     | 600     | 595     | 889     |
| Cocaine - Trafficking                          | 65     | 102    | 61     | 141    | 134    | 239     | 200     | 219     | 230     | 390     | 464     | 675     |
| Cocaine - Importation                          | 8      | 16     | 6      | 6      | 12     | 27      | 17      | 18      | 18      | 48      | 54      | 25      |
| TOTAL COCAINE                                  | 190    | 222    | 183    | 306    | 438    | 575     | 501     | 642     | 635     | 1,038   | 1,113   | 1,589   |
| <b>OTHER DRUG OFFENCES</b>                     |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Other Drug - Possession                        | 270    | 163    | 200    | 157    | 274    | 213     | 219     | 178     | 520     | 598     | 493     | 491     |
| Other Drug - Trafficking                       | 58     | 72     | 61     | 63     | 70     | 65      | 28      | 134     | 86      | 140     | 173     | 152     |
| Other Drug - Importation                       | 7      | 6      | 5      | 3      | 6      | 10      | 11      | 11      | 4       | 11      | 17      | 9       |
| TOTAL OTHER DRUGS                              | 335    | 241    | 266    | 223    | 350    | 288     | 258     | 323     | 610     | 749     | 683     | 652     |

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## NUMBER OF OFFENCES

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                                | 1977          | 1978          | 1979          | 1980          | 1981          | 1982          | 1983          | 1984          | 1985          | 1986          | 1987          | 1988          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>CANNABIS OFFENCES</b>                            |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Cannabis - Possession                               | 7,980         | 6,945         | 7,163         | 8,582         | 9,251         | 8,930         | 8,981         | 8,554         | 8,171         | 7,329         | 8,015         | 7,504         |
| Cannabis - Trafficking                              | 915           | 845           | 776           | 1,008         | 1,205         | 1,554         | 1,228         | 1,000         | 1,148         | 1,409         | 1,716         | 1,572         |
| Cannabis - Importation                              | 19            | 40            | 20            | 32            | 15            | 36            | 41            | 28            | 24            | 31            | 43            | 22            |
| Cannabis - Cultivation                              | 152           | 237           | 212           | 190           | 121           | 241           | 390           | 303           | 296           | 350           | 564           | 625           |
| <b>TOTAL CANNABIS</b>                               | <b>9,066</b>  | <b>8,067</b>  | <b>8,171</b>  | <b>9,812</b>  | <b>10,592</b> | <b>10,761</b> | <b>10,640</b> | <b>9,885</b>  | <b>9,639</b>  | <b>9,119</b>  | <b>10,338</b> | <b>9,723</b>  |
| <b>CONTROLLED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                     |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>TOTAL CONTROLLED DRUG - TRAFFICKING</b>          | <b>72</b>     | <b>72</b>     | <b>39</b>     | <b>81</b>     | <b>50</b>     | <b>108</b>    | <b>106</b>    | <b>147</b>    | <b>165</b>    | <b>106</b>    | <b>132</b>    | <b>122</b>    |
| <b>RESTRICTED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                     |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Restricted Drugs - Possession                       | 250           | 311           | 268           | 245           | 256           | 265           | 286           | 229           | 134           | 145           | 122           | 76            |
| Restricted Drugs - Trafficking                      | 133           | 101           | 155           | 224           | 228           | 355           | 560           | 379           | 347           | 392           | 375           | 299           |
| <b>TOTAL RESTRICTED DRUGS</b>                       | <b>383</b>    | <b>412</b>    | <b>423</b>    | <b>469</b>    | <b>484</b>    | <b>620</b>    | <b>846</b>    | <b>608</b>    | <b>481</b>    | <b>537</b>    | <b>497</b>    | <b>375</b>    |
| <b>OTHER FEDERAL STATUTE OFFENCES - NOT TRAFFIC</b> |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Bankruptcy Act                                      | 44            | 93            | 66            | 48            | 48            | 27            | 38            | 33            | 25            | 22            | 26            | 9             |
| Canadian Shipping Act (17)                          | 565           | 489           | 499           | 883           | 770           | 564           | 883           | 1,365         | 1,736         | 1,381         | 2,563         | 2,381         |
| Customs Act                                         | 1,130         | 1,433         | 1,115         | 1,047         | 1,159         | 1,237         | 1,248         | 1,076         | 1,035         | 795           | 885           | 885           |
| Excise Act                                          | 48            | 28            | 46            | 23            | 18            | 17            | 46            | 40            | 29            | 45            | 59            | 43            |
| Immigration Act                                     | 377           | 368           | 379           | 606           | 548           | 601           | 571           | 626           | 901           | 496           | 415           | 481           |
| Juvenile Delinquents Act (6)                        | 225           | 267           | 175           | 149           | 151           | 110           | 132           | 108           | -             | -             | -             | -             |
| Other Federal Statutes (18)                         | 3,245         | 4,146         | 1,656         | 1,806         | 1,612         | 2,485         | 2,055         | 2,287         | 3,005         | 2,755         | 5,532         | 3,458         |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES</b>                 | <b>5,634</b>  | <b>6,844</b>  | <b>3,936</b>  | <b>4,562</b>  | <b>4,306</b>  | <b>5,041</b>  | <b>4,973</b>  | <b>5,535</b>  | <b>6,731</b>  | <b>5,494</b>  | <b>9,480</b>  | <b>7,257</b>  |
| <b>PROVINCIAL STATUTE OFFENCES - NOT TRAFFIC</b>    |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Liquor Act                                          | 14,204        | 15,723        | 20,941        | 21,509        | 24,737        | 23,618        | 19,486        | 17,026        | 14,880        | 16,241        | 23,837        | 20,024        |
| Securities Act                                      | 55            | 221           | 103           | 17            | 42            | 24            | 7             | 16            | 5             | 6             | 16            | 3             |
| Other Provincial Statutes                           | 6,729         | 7,684         | 7,019         | 6,785         | 8,386         | 8,122         | 6,969         | 6,389         | 5,419         | 5,397         | 5,730         | 5,937         |
| <b>TOTAL PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7)</b>                | <b>20,988</b> | <b>23,628</b> | <b>28,063</b> | <b>28,311</b> | <b>33,165</b> | <b>31,764</b> | <b>26,462</b> | <b>23,431</b> | <b>20,304</b> | <b>21,644</b> | <b>29,583</b> | <b>25,964</b> |
| <b>MUNICIPAL BYLAW OFFENCES</b>                     |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>TOTAL MUNICIPAL BYLAW - NOT TRAFFIC</b>          | <b>10,628</b> | <b>12,781</b> | <b>14,992</b> | <b>15,879</b> | <b>16,601</b> | <b>20,141</b> | <b>20,889</b> | <b>22,592</b> | <b>24,860</b> | <b>27,117</b> | <b>27,977</b> | <b>26,832</b> |

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|                                 | 1977      | 1978      | 1979      | 1980      | 1981      | 1982      | 1983      | 1984      | 1985      | 1986      | 1987      | 1988      |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| <b>SUMMARY</b>                  |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PROPERTY (8)    | 166,410   | 178,314   | 180,255   | 196,279   | 217,181   | 237,410   | 241,163   | 244,265   | 243,537   | 251,084   | 250,279   | 244,672   |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSON (9)      | 21,181    | 22,165    | 24,630    | 27,581    | 29,213    | 31,787    | 29,594    | 31,376    | 32,843    | 36,429    | 37,205    | 38,726    |
| CRIMINAL CODE - OTHER (10)      | 83,870    | 86,237    | 90,145    | 94,422    | 101,181   | 108,737   | 106,168   | 103,373   | 103,954   | 113,956   | 117,578   | 123,026   |
|                                 | 271,461   | 286,716   | 295,030   | 318,282   | 347,575   | 377,934   | 376,925   | 379,014   | 380,334   | 401,469   | 405,062   | 406,424   |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL (11)      |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
|                                 | 271,461   | 286,716   | 295,030   | 318,282   | 347,575   | 377,934   | 376,925   | 379,014   | 380,334   | 401,469   | 405,062   | 406,424   |
| FEDERAL DRUGS (12)              | 10,668    | 9,838     | 9,325     | 11,215    | 12,144    | 12,640    | 12,711    | 11,831    | 11,840    | 11,882    | 13,056    | 12,764    |
| MUNICIPAL BYLAWS                | 10,628    | 12,781    | 14,992    | 15,879    | 16,601    | 20,141    | 20,889    | 22,592    | 24,860    | 27,117    | 27,977    | 26,832    |
| OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES (18, 19) | 5,634     | 6,844     | 3,936     | 4,562     | 4,306     | 5,041     | 4,973     | 5,535     | 6,732     | 5,497     | 9,480     | 7,257     |
| PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7, 13)     | 20,988    | 23,628    | 28,063    | 28,311    | 33,165    | 31,764    | 26,462    | 23,431    | 20,304    | 21,644    | 29,583    | 25,964    |
|                                 | 319,379   | 339,807   | 351,346   | 378,249   | 413,791   | 447,520   | 441,960   | 442,403   | 444,069   | 467,609   | 485,158   | 479,221   |
| GRAND TOTAL (14)                |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
|                                 | 319,379   | 339,807   | 351,346   | 378,249   | 413,791   | 447,520   | 441,960   | 442,403   | 444,069   | 467,609   | 485,158   | 479,221   |
|                                 | 2,499,400 | 2,542,300 | 2,589,400 | 2,666,000 | 2,744,467 | 2,787,554 | 2,813,767 | 2,847,574 | 2,870,099 | 2,889,207 | 2,925,700 | 2,984,000 |

## POPULATION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA (15)

2,499,400 2,542,300 2,589,400 2,666,000 2,744,467 2,787,554 2,813,767 2,847,574 2,870,099 2,889,207 2,925,700 2,984,000

## FOOTNOTES

- Prior to January 1983, Sex Offence categories consisted of: Rape, Indecent Assault - Female, Indecent Assault - Male and Other Sex offences; in January 1983, these categories were replaced by: Sex Assault - Level 1, Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2, Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3, and Total Other Sex Offences.
- Prior to January 1983, Assault Offence categories consisted of: Wounding, Bodily Harm, Police, Other Peace - Public Officer and Other Assaults; in January 1983 these categories were replaced by: Assault - Level 1, Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm - Level 2, Aggravated Assault - Level 3, Unlawful Bodily Harm, Shoot With Intent, Assault Police, Assault Other Officers, and Other Assault.
- UCR Abduction Offence categories came into effect January 1983. The figures shown here represent the total
- Theft Offences are the sum of the UCR offence categories referred to as "Theft Over" and "Theft Less Than". The figures shown here represent the total of Bicycle Theft Over \$1000 and Bicycle Theft Less Than \$1000; Theft from Motor Vehicle Over \$1000 and Theft from Motor Vehicle Less Than \$1000; Shoplifting Over \$1000 and Shoplifting Less Than \$1000; Other Theft Over \$1000 and Other Theft Less Than \$1000; and Total Theft Over \$1000 and Total Theft Less Than \$1000. It should be noted that these offence categories were changed, in January 1986, from "...Over \$200" and "...Less Than \$200" to "Over \$1000" and "...Less Than \$1000".
- Mischief and Property Damage is the sum of two UCR offence categories: Mischief and Property Damage Over \$1000 and Mischief and Property Damage Less Than \$1000; prior to January 1986, these offence categories were: Wilful Damage - Private and Wilful Damage - Public.
- On April 2, 1984 the Juvenile Delinquent Act was repealed. The Young Offenders Act (YOA), which describes completely new procedures for dealing with young offenders and re-defines the ages of young offenders, came into effect on the same day. The procedural aspects of the Young Offenders Act were proclaimed on April 2, 1984; however, the age provisions were not proclaimed until April 1985. A juvenile is now defined as under 18 years and over 11 years of age. In British Columbia, prior to April 1985, a juvenile was defined as under 17 years and over 6 years of age.
- In December, 1986, the province proclaimed amendments to the Offence and Motor Vehicle Acts which introduced new summary ticketing procedures for a wide variety of provincial statute offences. For example, a new Ticket Information replaced Traffic Ticket Information under the Motor Vehicle Act, Wildlife Tickets under the Wildlife Act and Litter Tickets under the Litter Act. In addition, this new ticket information could be issued for a number of other Provincial Acts (i.e. Liquor Act), for which tickets could not previously be issued. In 1987, the ability to issue tickets for additional offences under Provincial Statutes, in particular the Liquor Act, resulted in a substantial increase in the number of offences and persons charged data, as well as a corresponding increase in the rate per 1000 population.

FOOTNOTES Cont'd

- (8) Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft, fraud and possession of stolen property.
- (9) Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery and abduction.
- (10) Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage.
- (11) Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person and Other offences.
- (12) Federal Drug offences include possession, trafficking, importation and cultivation of drugs under the Narcotics Control Act, and possession and trafficking of controlled or restricted drugs under the Food and Drug Act.
- (13) Provincial Statutes includes all provincial statute offences (i.e. Liquor Act and Securities Act).
- (14) The Grand Total includes all of the foregoing offence categories, as well as Other Federal Statute offences (such as Customs and Excise), and Municipal Bylaw infractions. It should be noted that Criminal Code - Traffic offences and Provincial Statute - Traffic offences are not represented here.
- (15) Canada Census occurred in the years 1976, 1981, and 1986; population figures for 1981 and 1986 are based on the Census results of that particular year. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.
- (16) On January 1, 1986, Bill C-49 came into effect. This legislation created the new offence of "communicating for the purposes of prostitution in a public place". As a result, number of Other Prostitution offences and persons charged data increased substantially, particularly in the City of Vancouver; the rate per 1000 population increased correspondingly.
- (17) From 1987 onward, the increase in number of offences and persons charged data under the Canadian Shipping Act is the result of increased enforcement practices within a number of reporting jurisdictions; the rate per 1000 population increased correspondingly.
- (18) In 1987 Ports Canada Police incorrectly scored "routine vessel inspections" as Other Federal Statute offences. As a result, number of offences data for 1987 is inflated by approximately 2,000 offences with the rate per 1000 population being similarly affected.
- (19) From 1985 to 1987 the City of Vancouver incorrectly scored "Breach of Probation Order" offences under the Young Offenders Act. These offences, which were scored to Other Criminal Code (Other CC), should have been reported in the Other Federal Statutes category. As a result, data scored against Other Federal Statutes for this period is under-reported by approximately 100 offences per year, while data for Other CC is correspondingly inflated; persons charged data and rate per 1000 population are similarly affected.

DATA QUALIFIER

1. The data contained in this report have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting Survey (UCR). Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious offence is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences where a single incident with more than one victim is scored as only one offence, police score one offence for every victim of a "violent" crime, i.e. homicide, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, and abduction.

SOURCES:

Uniform Crime Reporting Survey (UCR)  
Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations

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BRITISH COLUMBIA: UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING (UCR) NON-TRAFFIC OFFENCE CATEGORIES; RATE PER 1000 POPULATION, AND POPULATION, 1977 TO 1988.

RATE PER 1000 POPULATION

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                  | 1977         | 1978         | 1979         | 1980         | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>HOMICIDES</b>                      |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Murder, 1st Degree                    | 0.011        | 0.008        | 0.011        | 0.012        | 0.017        | 0.008        | 0.014        | 0.015        | 0.011        | 0.010        | 0.009        | 0.011        |
| Murder, 2nd Degree                    | 0.024        | 0.024        | 0.019        | 0.024        | 0.019        | 0.027        | 0.022        | 0.021        | 0.025        | 0.018        | 0.016        | 0.014        |
| Manslaughter                          | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.003        | 0.005        | 0.003        | 0.003        | 0.003        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.002        |
| Infanticide                           | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.000        |
| <b>TOTAL HOMICIDE</b>                 | <b>0.038</b> | <b>0.033</b> | <b>0.033</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.030</b> | <b>0.026</b> | <b>0.027</b> |
| <b>ATTEMPTED MURDERS</b>              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| <b>TOTAL ATTEMPTED MURDER</b>         | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.037</b> | <b>0.032</b> | <b>0.037</b> | <b>0.043</b> | <b>0.050</b> | <b>0.040</b> | <b>0.037</b> | <b>0.029</b> | <b>0.037</b> | <b>0.032</b> | <b>0.036</b> |
| <b>SEX OFFENCES</b>                   |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Sex Assault - Level 1 (1)             |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.69         | 0.89         | 1.08         | 1.33         | 1.49         | 0.02         |
| Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2 (1) |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.05         | 0.05         | 0.04         | 0.05         | 0.05         | 0.05         |
| Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3 (1)  |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.04         | 0.04         | 0.03         | 0.02         | 0.02         | 1.62         |
| Total Other Sex Offences (1)          |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.18         | 0.17         | 0.13         | 0.13         | 0.12         | 0.10         |
| <b>TOTAL SEX OFFENCES</b>             | <b>0.66</b>  | <b>0.73</b>  | <b>0.68</b>  | <b>0.73</b>  | <b>0.80</b>  | <b>0.91</b>  | <b>0.96</b>  | <b>1.15</b>  | <b>1.28</b>  | <b>1.53</b>  | <b>1.67</b>  | <b>1.79</b>  |
| <b>NON SEXUAL ASSAULTS</b>            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Assault Level 1 (2)                   |              |              |              |              |              |              | 5.27         | 6.11         | 6.62         | 7.49         | 7.71         | 7.55         |
| Asslt w. Weapon/Bod. Harm-Level 2 (2) |              |              |              |              |              |              | 1.45         | 1.54         | 1.44         | 1.51         | 1.37         | 1.55         |
| Aggravated Assault - Level 3 (2)      |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.21         | 0.22         | 0.20         | 0.17         | 0.12         | 0.12         |
| Unlawful Bodily Harm (2)              |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.32         | 0.38         | 0.43         | 0.40         | 0.38         | 0.44         |
| Shoot with Intent (2)                 |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.01         | 0.01         | 0.01         | 0.01         | 0.01         | 0.01         |
| Assault Police (2)                    |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.24         | 0.20         | 0.20         | 0.20         | 0.23         | 0.21         |
| Assault Other Officers (2)            |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.03         | 0.02         | 0.02         | 0.02         | 0.02         | 0.02         |
| Other Assault (2)                     |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.64         | 0.14         | 0.10         | 0.06         | 0.08         | 0.09         |
| <b>TOTAL ASSAULTS - NON SEX</b>       | <b>6.89</b>  | <b>6.98</b>  | <b>7.92</b>  | <b>8.55</b>  | <b>8.63</b>  | <b>8.94</b>  | <b>8.22</b>  | <b>8.61</b>  | <b>8.96</b>  | <b>9.87</b>  | <b>9.92</b>  | <b>9.98</b>  |
| <b>ABDUCTION OFFENCES</b>             |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Abduction - Under 14 (3)              |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.011        | 0.018        | 0.016        | 0.015        | 0.014        | 0.015        |
| Abduction - Under 16 (3)              |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.004        | 0.002        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.001        | 0.003        |
| Abduction - Cont. Custody Order (3)   |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.010        | 0.016        | 0.017        | 0.015        | 0.017        | 0.019        |
| Abduction - No Custody Order (3)      |              |              |              |              |              |              | 0.007        | 0.011        | 0.010        | 0.011        | 0.013        | 0.011        |
| <b>TOTAL ABDUCTION</b>                |              |              |              |              |              |              | <b>0.032</b> | <b>0.047</b> | <b>0.046</b> | <b>0.042</b> | <b>0.044</b> | <b>0.049</b> |
| <b>ROBBERY OFFENCES</b>               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Robbery with Firearms                 | 0.16         | 0.18         | 0.13         | 0.16         | 0.18         | 0.31         | 0.28         | 0.26         | 0.22         | 0.20         | 0.21         | 0.20         |
| Robbery with Other Offensive Weapon   | 0.20         | 0.18         | 0.18         | 0.22         | 0.28         | 0.36         | 0.30         | 0.30         | 0.30         | 0.28         | 0.26         | 0.29         |
| Other Robbery                         | 0.49         | 0.58         | 0.54         | 0.62         | 0.68         | 0.78         | 0.66         | 0.58         | 0.58         | 0.63         | 0.56         | 0.60         |
| <b>TOTAL ROBBERY</b>                  | <b>0.85</b>  | <b>0.94</b>  | <b>0.85</b>  | <b>0.99</b>  | <b>1.13</b>  | <b>1.45</b>  | <b>1.23</b>  | <b>1.14</b>  | <b>1.09</b>  | <b>1.10</b>  | <b>1.03</b>  | <b>1.09</b>  |



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## RATE PER 1000 POPULATION

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                | 1977         | 1978         | 1979         | 1980         | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>BREAK AND ENTER OFFENCES</b>     |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Break and Enter - Business Premises | 5.24         | 5.55         | 5.19         | 5.54         | 6.56         | 6.98         | 6.25         | 6.14         | 5.52         | 5.65         | 5.45         | 4.85         |
| Break and Enter - Residence         | 9.25         | 9.97         | 9.00         | 9.67         | 10.32        | 11.02        | 12.00        | 11.90        | 11.74        | 12.72        | 12.61        | 11.38        |
| Break and Enter - Other             | 2.04         | 2.01         | 2.29         | 2.34         | 2.64         | 2.63         | 3.04         | 3.31         | 3.35         | 3.44         | 3.48         | 3.10         |
| <b>TOTAL BREAK AND ENTER</b>        | <b>16.53</b> | <b>17.54</b> | <b>16.49</b> | <b>17.55</b> | <b>19.52</b> | <b>20.63</b> | <b>21.30</b> | <b>21.35</b> | <b>20.60</b> | <b>21.80</b> | <b>21.54</b> | <b>19.32</b> |
| <b>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>          |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Automobile Theft                    | 3.26         | 3.08         | 2.96         | 2.95         | 3.10         | 2.86         | 2.36         | 2.29         | 2.53         | 2.55         | 2.58         | 2.86         |
| Truck Theft                         | 0.76         | 0.87         | 1.01         | 1.07         | 1.08         | 1.02         | 0.87         | 0.86         | 0.92         | 0.95         | 0.88         | 1.00         |
| Motorcycle Theft                    | 0.38         | 0.46         | 0.49         | 0.51         | 0.63         | 0.60         | 0.57         | 0.59         | 0.54         | 0.54         | 0.50         | 0.37         |
| Other Motor Vehicle Theft           | 0.11         | 0.14         | 0.14         | 0.11         | 0.14         | 0.20         | 0.13         | 0.14         | 0.15         | 0.13         | 0.13         | 0.12         |
| <b>TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>    | <b>4.51</b>  | <b>4.55</b>  | <b>4.60</b>  | <b>4.64</b>  | <b>4.95</b>  | <b>4.68</b>  | <b>3.93</b>  | <b>3.87</b>  | <b>4.14</b>  | <b>4.17</b>  | <b>4.09</b>  | <b>4.34</b>  |
| <b>THEFT OFFENCES</b>               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Bicycle Theft (4)                   | 6.56         | 6.96         | 7.40         | 7.01         | 6.97         | 7.89         | 8.75         | 8.67         | 7.67         | 7.23         | 6.98         | 5.62         |
| Theft from Motor Vehicle (4)        | 12.19        | 13.15        | 13.30        | 15.27        | 16.93        | 18.86        | 19.47        | 19.98        | 20.92        | 22.66        | 23.60        | 24.26        |
| Shoplifting (4)                     | 4.13         | 4.65         | 4.40         | 4.62         | 5.01         | 5.87         | 6.24         | 6.21         | 6.51         | 6.30         | 6.26         | 6.15         |
| Other Theft (4)                     | 15.40        | 16.16        | 16.49        | 17.16        | 18.20        | 19.68        | 19.06        | 18.95        | 18.76        | 18.67        | 17.50        | 16.82        |
| <b>TOTAL THEFT (4)</b>              | <b>38.27</b> | <b>40.93</b> | <b>41.58</b> | <b>44.06</b> | <b>47.11</b> | <b>52.30</b> | <b>53.51</b> | <b>53.81</b> | <b>53.86</b> | <b>54.86</b> | <b>54.34</b> | <b>52.86</b> |
| <b>HAVE STOLEN GOODS</b>            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| HAVE STOLEN GOODS                   | 1.04         | 1.01         | 0.93         | 0.94         | 1.01         | 1.31         | 1.25         | 1.16         | 1.18         | 1.24         | 1.23         | 1.29         |
| <b>FRAUD OFFENCES</b>               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Cheque Frauds                       | 3.88         | 3.87         | 3.48         | 3.46         | 3.40         | 3.21         | 2.91         | 2.95         | 2.52         | 2.09         | 1.74         | 1.68         |
| Credit Card Frauds                  | 0.63         | 0.48         | 0.62         | 0.71         | 0.63         | 0.92         | 0.86         | 0.84         | 0.79         | 0.73         | 0.58         | 0.62         |
| Other Frauds                        | 1.71         | 1.78         | 1.91         | 2.27         | 2.52         | 2.12         | 1.96         | 1.79         | 1.77         | 2.00         | 2.01         | 1.88         |
| <b>TOTAL FRAUDS</b>                 | <b>6.22</b>  | <b>6.12</b>  | <b>6.01</b>  | <b>6.44</b>  | <b>6.55</b>  | <b>6.25</b>  | <b>5.72</b>  | <b>5.59</b>  | <b>5.08</b>  | <b>4.82</b>  | <b>4.34</b>  | <b>4.18</b>  |
| <b>PROSTITUTION</b>                 |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Bawdy House                         | 0.017        | 0.006        | 0.009        | 0.010        | 0.005        | 0.006        | 0.005        | 0.004        | 0.003        | 0.002        | 0.003        | 0.003        |
| Procuring                           | 0.002        | 0.003        | 0.002        | 0.003        | 0.000        | 0.004        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.004        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.005        |
| Other Prostitution (16)             | 0.136        | 0.040        | 0.027        | 0.013        | 0.004        | 0.006        | 0.009        | 0.005        | 0.003        | 0.309        | 0.477        | 0.460        |
| <b>TOTAL PROSTITUTION</b>           | <b>0.155</b> | <b>0.049</b> | <b>0.037</b> | <b>0.026</b> | <b>0.009</b> | <b>0.017</b> | <b>0.015</b> | <b>0.009</b> | <b>0.010</b> | <b>0.313</b> | <b>0.483</b> | <b>0.468</b> |
| <b>GAMING AND BETTING</b>           |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Betting House                       | 0.001        | 0.002        | 0.001        | 0.006        | 0.002        | 0.001        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        | 0.001        |
| Gaming House                        | 0.005        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.006        | 0.001        | 0.004        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.001        | 0.001        | 0.001        |
| Other Gaming & Betting              | 0.010        | 0.006        | 0.005        | 0.008        | 0.007        | 0.014        | 0.005        | 0.005        | 0.004        | 0.004        | 0.018        | 0.009        |
| <b>TOTAL GAMING &amp; BETTING</b>   | <b>0.016</b> | <b>0.009</b> | <b>0.006</b> | <b>0.019</b> | <b>0.009</b> | <b>0.019</b> | <b>0.008</b> | <b>0.007</b> | <b>0.007</b> | <b>0.005</b> | <b>0.020</b> | <b>0.010</b> |

## RATE PER 1000 POPULATION

| UCR OFFENSE CATEGORY                                    | 1977         | 1978         | 1979         | 1980         | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                                |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Explosives                                              | 0.03         | 0.04         | 0.04         | 0.04         | 0.05         | 0.06         | 0.04         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.05         | 0.05         | 0.04         |
| Prohibited Weapons                                      | 0.08         | 0.13         | 0.11         | 0.11         | 0.12         | 0.19         | 0.17         | 0.20         | 0.17         | 0.20         | 0.21         | 0.22         |
| Restricted Weapons                                      | 0.12         | 0.13         | 0.09         | 0.09         | 0.10         | 0.11         | 0.12         | 0.10         | 0.11         | 0.13         | 0.12         | 0.12         |
| Other Offensive Weapons                                 | 0.56         | 0.59         | 0.57         | 0.58         | 0.64         | 0.64         | 0.57         | 0.49         | 0.49         | 0.48         | 0.48         | 0.48         |
| <b>TOTAL OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                          | <b>0.79</b>  | <b>0.89</b>  | <b>0.82</b>  | <b>0.82</b>  | <b>0.91</b>  | <b>0.99</b>  | <b>0.90</b>  | <b>0.83</b>  | <b>0.80</b>  | <b>0.86</b>  | <b>0.86</b>  | <b>0.86</b>  |
| <b>CRIMINAL CODE OTHER OFFENSES - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b> |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Arson                                                   | 0.48         | 0.41         | 0.44         | 0.42         | 0.45         | 0.44         | 0.43         | 0.38         | 0.36         | 0.35         | 0.38         | 0.33         |
| Bail Violations                                         | 1.00         | 1.04         | 0.93         | 0.98         | 1.12         | 1.24         | 1.32         | 1.08         | 0.74         | 0.97         | 0.50         | 0.55         |
| Counterfeit Currency                                    | 0.07         | 0.08         | 0.05         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.09         | 0.02         | 0.07         | 0.21         | 0.25         | 0.08         |
| Disturb the Peace                                       | 4.19         | 3.98         | 3.75         | 4.15         | 4.19         | 6.27         | 5.70         | 5.12         | 5.23         | 5.80         | 5.69         | 5.14         |
| Escape Custody                                          | 0.19         | 0.21         | 0.19         | 0.21         | 0.19         | 0.16         | 0.17         | 0.19         | 0.18         | 0.15         | 0.15         | 0.12         |
| Indecent Acts                                           | 0.61         | 0.68         | 0.67         | 0.77         | 0.74         | 0.72         | 0.71         | 0.68         | 0.64         | 0.66         | 0.66         | 0.65         |
| Kidnapping                                              | 0.03         | 0.02         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.04         | 0.05         | 0.04         | 0.04         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.03         |
| Public Morals                                           | 0.14         | 0.09         | 0.03         | 0.02         | 0.02         | 0.04         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.03         | 0.04         | 0.04         |
| Obstruct Police Officer                                 | 0.19         | 0.18         | 0.22         | 0.23         | 0.20         | 0.26         | 0.27         | 0.23         | 0.21         | 0.25         | 0.27         | 0.26         |
| Prisoner at Large                                       | 0.14         | 0.12         | 0.12         | 0.16         | 0.10         | 0.13         | 0.12         | 0.13         | 0.11         | 0.14         | 0.16         | 0.14         |
| Trespass - Night                                        | 1.29         | 1.18         | 1.27         | 1.31         | 1.55         | 1.63         | 1.63         | 1.54         | 1.42         | 1.36         | 1.39         | 1.12         |
| Mischief and Property Damage (5)                        | 18.63        | 18.90        | 20.25        | 20.65        | 20.65        | 19.49        | 18.48        | 18.81        | 19.10        | 21.01        | 22.02        | 23.94        |
| Other CC (19)                                           | 5.65         | 6.08         | 5.99         | 6.22         | 6.66         | 7.52         | 7.84         | 7.23         | 7.28         | 7.30         | 7.31         | 7.51         |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER CC - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b>               | <b>32.59</b> | <b>32.97</b> | <b>33.95</b> | <b>34.55</b> | <b>35.94</b> | <b>19.98</b> | <b>36.81</b> | <b>35.46</b> | <b>35.40</b> | <b>38.26</b> | <b>38.83</b> | <b>39.89</b> |
| <b>HEROIN OFFENSES</b>                                  |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Heroin - Possession                                     | 0.168        | 0.182        | 0.070        | 0.075        | 0.052        | 0.058        | 0.080        | 0.051        | 0.048        | 0.055        | 0.052        | 0.059        |
| Heroin - Trafficking                                    | 0.078        | 0.139        | 0.023        | 0.045        | 0.028        | 0.042        | 0.044        | 0.026        | 0.052        | 0.046        | 0.041        | 0.033        |
| Heroin - Importation                                    | 0.002        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.001        | 0.004        | 0.003        | 0.005        | 0.003        | 0.008        | 0.015        | 0.007        | 0.004        |
| <b>TOTAL HEROIN</b>                                     | <b>0.249</b> | <b>0.324</b> | <b>0.094</b> | <b>0.122</b> | <b>0.084</b> | <b>0.103</b> | <b>0.128</b> | <b>0.079</b> | <b>0.108</b> | <b>0.115</b> | <b>0.100</b> | <b>0.095</b> |
| <b>COCAINE OFFENSES</b>                                 |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Cocaine - Possession                                    | 0.047        | 0.041        | 0.045        | 0.060        | 0.106        | 0.111        | 0.101        | 0.142        | 0.135        | 0.208        | 0.203        | 0.298        |
| Cocaine - Trafficking                                   | 0.026        | 0.040        | 0.024        | 0.053        | 0.049        | 0.086        | 0.071        | 0.077        | 0.080        | 0.135        | 0.159        | 0.226        |
| Cocaine - Importation                                   | 0.003        | 0.006        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.004        | 0.010        | 0.006        | 0.006        | 0.006        | 0.017        | 0.018        | 0.008        |
| <b>TOTAL COCAINE</b>                                    | <b>0.076</b> | <b>0.087</b> | <b>0.071</b> | <b>0.115</b> | <b>0.160</b> | <b>0.206</b> | <b>0.178</b> | <b>0.225</b> | <b>0.221</b> | <b>0.359</b> | <b>0.380</b> | <b>0.533</b> |
| <b>OTHER DRUG OFFENSES</b>                              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Other Drug - Possession                                 | 0.108        | 0.064        | 0.077        | 0.059        | 0.100        | 0.076        | 0.078        | 0.063        | 0.181        | 0.207        | 0.169        | 0.165        |
| Other Drug - Trafficking                                | 0.023        | 0.028        | 0.024        | 0.024        | 0.026        | 0.023        | 0.010        | 0.047        | 0.030        | 0.048        | 0.059        | 0.051        |
| Other Drug - Importation                                | 0.003        | 0.002        | 0.002        | 0.001        | 0.002        | 0.004        | 0.004        | 0.004        | 0.001        | 0.004        | 0.006        | 0.003        |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER DRUGS</b>                                | <b>0.134</b> | <b>0.095</b> | <b>0.103</b> | <b>0.084</b> | <b>0.128</b> | <b>0.103</b> | <b>0.092</b> | <b>0.113</b> | <b>0.213</b> | <b>0.259</b> | <b>0.233</b> | <b>0.218</b> |

## RATE PER 1 000 POPULATION

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                                | 1977         | 1978         | 1979         | 1980         | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>CANNABIS OFFENCES</b>                            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Cannabis - Possession                               | 3.193        | 2.732        | 2.766        | 3.219        | 3.371        | 3.204        | 3.192        | 3.004        | 2.847        | 2.537        | 2.740        | 2.515        |
| Cannabis - Trafficking                              | 0.366        | 0.332        | 0.300        | 0.378        | 0.439        | 0.557        | 0.436        | 0.351        | 0.400        | 0.488        | 0.587        | 0.527        |
| Cannabis - Importation                              | 0.008        | 0.016        | 0.008        | 0.012        | 0.005        | 0.013        | 0.015        | 0.010        | 0.008        | 0.011        | 0.015        | 0.007        |
| Cannabis - Cultivation                              | 0.061        | 0.093        | 0.082        | 0.071        | 0.044        | 0.086        | 0.139        | 0.106        | 0.103        | 0.121        | 0.193        | 0.209        |
| <b>TOTAL CANNABIS</b>                               | <b>3.627</b> | <b>3.173</b> | <b>3.156</b> | <b>3.680</b> | <b>3.859</b> | <b>3.860</b> | <b>3.781</b> | <b>3.471</b> | <b>3.358</b> | <b>3.156</b> | <b>3.534</b> | <b>3.258</b> |
| <b>CONTROLLED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                     |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| <b>TOTAL CONTROLLED DRUG - TRAFFICKING</b>          | <b>0.029</b> | <b>0.028</b> | <b>0.015</b> | <b>0.030</b> | <b>0.018</b> | <b>0.039</b> | <b>0.038</b> | <b>0.052</b> | <b>0.057</b> | <b>0.037</b> | <b>0.045</b> | <b>0.041</b> |
| <b>RESTRICTED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                     |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Restricted Drugs - Possession                       | 0.100        | 0.122        | 0.103        | 0.092        | 0.093        | 0.095        | 0.102        | 0.080        | 0.047        | 0.050        | 0.042        | 0.025        |
| Restricted Drugs - Trafficking                      | 0.053        | 0.040        | 0.060        | 0.084        | 0.083        | 0.127        | 0.199        | 0.133        | 0.121        | 0.136        | 0.128        | 0.100        |
| <b>TOTAL RESTRICTED DRUGS</b>                       | <b>0.153</b> | <b>0.162</b> | <b>0.163</b> | <b>0.176</b> | <b>0.176</b> | <b>0.222</b> | <b>0.301</b> | <b>0.214</b> | <b>0.168</b> | <b>0.186</b> | <b>0.170</b> | <b>0.126</b> |
| <b>OTHER FEDERAL STATUTE OFFENCES - NOT TRAFFIC</b> |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Bankruptcy Act                                      | 0.018        | 0.037        | 0.025        | 0.018        | 0.017        | 0.010        | 0.014        | 0.012        | 0.009        | 0.008        | 0.009        | 0.003        |
| Canadian Shipping Act (17)                          | 0.226        | 0.192        | 0.193        | 0.331        | 0.281        | 0.202        | 0.314        | 0.479        | 0.605        | 0.478        | 0.876        | 0.798        |
| Customs Act                                         | 0.452        | 0.572        | 0.431        | 0.393        | 0.422        | 0.444        | 0.444        | 0.378        | 0.361        | 0.275        | 0.302        | 0.297        |
| Excise Act                                          | 0.019        | 0.011        | 0.018        | 0.009        | 0.007        | 0.006        | 0.016        | 0.014        | 0.010        | 0.016        | 0.020        | 0.014        |
| Immigration Act                                     | 0.151        | 0.145        | 0.146        | 0.227        | 0.200        | 0.216        | 0.203        | 0.220        | 0.314        | 0.172        | 0.142        | 0.161        |
| Juvenile Delinquents Act (6)                        | 0.090        | 0.105        | 0.068        | 0.056        | 0.055        | 0.039        | 0.047        | 0.038        | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| Other Federal Statutes (18,19)                      | 1.298        | 1.631        | 0.640        | 0.677        | 0.587        | 0.891        | 0.730        | 0.803        | 1.047        | 0.954        | 1.891        | 1.159        |
| <b>OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES</b>                       | <b>2.254</b> | <b>2.692</b> | <b>1.520</b> | <b>1.711</b> | <b>1.569</b> | <b>1.808</b> | <b>1.767</b> | <b>1.944</b> | <b>2.345</b> | <b>1.903</b> | <b>3.240</b> | <b>2.432</b> |
| <b>PROVINCIAL STATUTE OFFENCES - NOT TRAFFIC</b>    |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Liquor Act                                          | 5.68         | 6.18         | 8.09         | 8.07         | 9.01         | 8.47         | 6.93         | 5.98         | 5.18         | 5.62         | 8.15         | 6.71         |
| Securities Act                                      | 0.02         | 0.09         | 0.04         | 0.01         | 0.02         | 0.01         | 0.00         | 0.01         | 0.00         | 0.00         | 0.01         | 0.00         |
| Other Provincial Statutes                           | 2.69         | 3.02         | 2.71         | 2.55         | 3.06         | 2.91         | 2.48         | 2.24         | 1.89         | 1.87         | 1.96         | 1.99         |
| <b>TOTAL PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7)</b>                | <b>8.40</b>  | <b>9.29</b>  | <b>10.84</b> | <b>10.62</b> | <b>12.08</b> | <b>11.40</b> | <b>9.40</b>  | <b>8.23</b>  | <b>7.07</b>  | <b>7.49</b>  | <b>10.11</b> | <b>8.70</b>  |
| <b>MUNICIPAL BYLAW OFFENCES</b>                     |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| <b>TOTAL MUNICIPAL BYLAW - NOT TRAFFIC</b>          | <b>4.25</b>  | <b>5.03</b>  | <b>5.79</b>  | <b>5.96</b>  | <b>6.05</b>  | <b>7.23</b>  | <b>7.42</b>  | <b>7.93</b>  | <b>8.66</b>  | <b>9.39</b>  | <b>9.56</b>  | <b>8.99</b>  |

## RATE PER 1000 POPULATION

| SUMMARY                        | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| CRIMINAL CODE - PROPERTY (8)   | 66.58  | 70.14  | 69.61  | 73.62  | 79.13  | 85.17  | 85.71  | 85.78  | 84.85  | 86.90  | 85.54  | 81.99  |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSON (9)     | 8.47   | 8.72   | 9.51   | 10.35  | 10.64  | 11.40  | 10.52  | 11.02  | 11.44  | 12.61  | 12.72  | 12.98  |
| CRIMINAL CODE - OTHER (10)     | 33.56  | 33.92  | 34.81  | 35.42  | 36.87  | 39.01  | 37.73  | 36.30  | 36.22  | 39.44  | 40.19  | 41.23  |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL (11)     | 108.61 | 112.78 | 113.94 | 119.39 | 126.65 | 135.58 | 133.96 | 133.10 | 132.52 | 136.95 | 138.45 | 136.20 |
| FEDERAL DRUGS (12)             | 4.27   | 3.87   | 3.60   | 4.21   | 4.42   | 4.53   | 4.52   | 4.16   | 4.13   | 4.11   | 4.46   | 4.27   |
| MUNICIPAL BYLAWS               | 4.25   | 5.03   | 5.79   | 5.96   | 6.05   | 7.23   | 7.42   | 7.93   | 8.66   | 9.39   | 9.56   | 8.99   |
| OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES (18,19) | 2.25   | 2.69   | 1.52   | 1.71   | 1.57   | 1.81   | 1.77   | 1.94   | 2.35   | 1.90   | 3.24   | 2.43   |
| PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7,13)     | 8.40   | 9.29   | 10.84  | 10.62  | 12.08  | 11.40  | 9.40   | 8.23   | 7.07   | 7.49   | 10.11  | 8.70   |
| GRAND TOTAL (14)               | 127.78 | 133.66 | 135.69 | 141.88 | 150.77 | 160.54 | 157.07 | 155.36 | 154.72 | 161.85 | 165.83 | 160.60 |

POPULATION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA (15) 2,499,400 2,542,300 2,589,400 2,666,000 2,744,467 2,787,554 2,813,767 2,847,574 2,870,099 2,889,207 2,925,700 2,984,000

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) Prior to January 1983, Sex Offence categories consisted of: Rape, Indecent Assault - Female, Indecent Assault - Male and Other Sex offences; in January 1983, these categories were replaced by: Sex Assault - Level 1, Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2, Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3, and Total Other Sex Offences.
- (2) Prior to January 1983, Assault Offence categories consisted of: Wounding, Bodily Harm, Police, Other Peace - Public Officer and Other Assaults; in January 1983 these categories were replaced by: Assault - Level 1, Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm - Level 2, Aggravated Assault - Level 3, Unlawful Bodily Harm, Shoot With Intent, Assault Police, Assault Other Officers, and Other Assault.
- (3) UCR Abduction Offence categories came into effect January 1983.
- (4) Theft Offences are the sum of the UCR offence categories referred to as "Theft Over" and "Theft Less Than". The figures shown here represent the total of Bicycle Theft Over \$1000 and Bicycle Theft Less Than \$1000; Theft from Motor Vehicle Over \$1000 and Theft from Motor Vehicle Less Than \$1000; Shoplifting Over \$1000 and Shoplifting Less Than \$1000; Other Theft Over \$1000 and Other Theft Less Than \$1000; and Total Theft Over \$1000 and Total Theft Less Than \$1000. It should be noted that these offence categories were changed, in January 1986, from "...Over \$200" and "...Less Than \$200" to "...Over \$1000" and "...Less Than \$1000".
- (5) Mischief and Property Damage is the sum of two UCR offence categories: Mischief and Property Damage Over \$1000 and Mischief and Property Damage Less Than \$1000; prior to January 1986, these offence categories were: Wilful Damage - Private and Wilful Damage - Public.
- (6) On April 2, 1984, the Juvenile Delinquent Act was repealed. The Young Offenders Act (YOA), which describes completely new procedures for dealing with young offenders and re-defines the ages of young offenders, came into effect on the same day. The procedural aspects of the Young Offenders Act were proclaimed on April 2, 1984; however, the age provisions were not proclaimed until April 1985. A juvenile is now defined as under 18 years and over 11 years of age. In British Columbia, prior to April 1985, a juvenile was defined as under 17 years and over 6 years of age.
- (7) In December, 1986, the Province proclaimed amendments to the Offence and Motor Vehicle Acts which introduced new summary ticketing procedures for a wide variety of Provincial Statute offences. For example, a new Ticket Information replaced Traffic Ticket Information under the Motor Vehicle Act, Wildlife Tickets under the Wildlife Act and Litter Tickets under the Litter Act. In addition, this new ticket information could be issued for a number of other Provincial Acts (i.e. Liquor Act), for which tickets could be previously be used. In 1987, the ability to issue tickets for additional offences under Provincial Statutes, in particular the Liquor Act, resulted in a substantial increase in the number of offences and persons charged data, as well as a corresponding increase in the rate per 1000 population.

## FOOTNOTES Cont'd

- (8) Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft, fraud and possession of stolen property.
- (9) Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery and abduction.
- (10) Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage.
- (11) Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person and Other offences.
- (12) Federal Drug offences include possession, trafficking, importation, and cultivation of drugs under the Narcotics Control Act, and possession and trafficking of controlled or restricted drugs under the Food and Drug Act.
- (13) Provincial Statutes includes all provincial statute offences (i.e. Liquor Act and Securities Act).
- (14) The Grand Total includes all of the foregoing offence categories, as well as Other Federal Statute offences (such as Customs and Excise), and Municipal Bylaw infractions. It should be noted that Criminal Code - Traffic offences and Provincial Statute - Traffic offences are not represented here.
- (15) Canada Census occurred in the years 1976, 1981, and 1986; population figures for 1981 and 1986 are based on the Census results of that particular year. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.
- (16) On January 1, 1986, Bill C-49 came into effect. This legislation created the new offence of "communicating for the purposes of prostitution in a public place". As a result, number of Other Prostitution offences and persons charged data increased substantially, particularly in the City of Vancouver; the rate per 1000 population increased correspondingly.
- (17) From 1987 onward, the increase in number of offences and persons charged data under the Canadian Shipping Act is the result of increased enforcement practices within a number of reporting jurisdictions; the rate per 1000 population increased correspondingly.
- (18) In 1987 Ports Canada Police incorrectly scored "routine vessel inspections" as Other Federal Statute offences. As a result, number of offences data for 1987 is inflated by approximately 2,000 offences, with the rate per 1000 population being similarly affected.
- (19) From 1985 to 1987 the City of Vancouver incorrectly scored "breach of Probation Order" offences under the Young Offenders Act. These offences, which were scored to Other Criminal Code (Other CC), should have been reported in the Other Federal Statutes category. As a result, data scored against Other Federal Statutes for this period is under-reported by approximately 100 offences per year, while data for Other CC is correspondingly inflated; persons charged data and rate per 1000 population are similarly affected.

## DATA QUALIFIER

1. The Rates per 1000 Population contained in this report are generated from total UCR data for British Columbia; they do not represent the average of the rates for each policing jurisdiction in the Province.

SOURCES: Uniform Crime Reporting Survey (UCR)  
Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations

PREPARED BY: Police Services, Ministry of Solicitor General  
DATE: August 28, 1989

BRITISH COLUMBIA: UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING (UCR) NON-TRAFFIC OFFENCE CATEGORIES: NUMBER OF ADULTS, JUVENILES, AND TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED, 1977 TO 1988.



| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                       | NUMBER OF ADULTS CHARGED |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                            | 1977                     | 1978  | 1979  | 1980  | 1981  | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  |
| <b>HOMICIDES</b>                           |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Murder, 1st Degree                         | 19                       | 20    | 29    | 30    | 28    | 13    | 28    | 23    | 25    | 23    | 26    | 16    |
| Murder, 2nd Degree                         | 42                       | 43    | 48    | 54    | 51    | 51    | 53    | 52    | 57    | 35    | 41    | 28    |
| Manslaughter                               | 6                        | 2     | 7     | 5     | 8     | 16    | 5     | 8     | 8     | 8     | 3     | 8     |
| Infanticide                                | 0                        | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     |
| <b>TOTAL HOMICIDE</b>                      | 67                       | 65    | 85    | 89    | 87    | 80    | 86    | 83    | 90    | 67    | 70    | 52    |
| <b>ATTEMPTED MURDERS</b>                   |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>TOTAL ATTEMPTED MURDER</b>              | 86                       | 82    | 74    | 89    | 102   | 113   | 88    | 69    | 75    | 74    | 64    | 83    |
| <b>SEX OFFENCES</b>                        |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Sex Assault - Level 1 (1)                  |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 444   | 638   | 835   | 980   | 26    | 27    |
| Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2 (1)      |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 45    | 40    | 51    | 41    | 47    | 53    |
| Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3 (1)       |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 49    | 36    | 24    | 26    | 1,102 | 1,379 |
| Total Other Sex Offences (1)               |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 104   | 98    | 95    | 112   | 72    | 72    |
| <b>TOTAL SEX OFFENCES</b>                  | 461                      | 520   | 489   | 499   | 521   | 546   | 674   | 819   | 1,006 | 1,159 | 1,247 | 1,531 |
| <b>NON SEXUAL ASSAULTS</b>                 |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Assault Level 1 (2)                        |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 2,403 | 3,368 | 4,072 | 4,755 | 5,055 | 5,631 |
| Asslt W. Weapon or Bod. Harm-Level 2 (2)   |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 1,174 | 1,343 | 1,294 | 1,444 | 1,421 | 1,606 |
| Aggravated Assault - Level 3 (2)           |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 284   | 296   | 249   | 234   | 197   | 203   |
| Unlawful Bodily Harm (2)                   |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 302   | 416   | 533   | 547   | 582   | 680   |
| Shoot With Intent (2)                      |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 7     | 14    | 15    | 27    | 13    | 18    |
| Assault Police (2)                         |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 484   | 405   | 327   | 376   | 445   | 377   |
| Assault Other Officers (2)                 |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 57    | 46    | 37    | 35    | 23    | 43    |
| Other Assault (2)                          |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 226   | 67    | 28    | 31    | 30    | 41    |
| <b>TOTAL ASSAULTS - NON SEX</b>            | 4,315                    | 4,314 | 4,838 | 5,413 | 5,290 | 4,920 | 5,123 | 5,958 | 6,555 | 7,450 | 7,766 | 8,599 |
| <b>ABDUCTION OFFENCES</b>                  |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Abduction - Under 14 (3)                   |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 7     | 10    | 9     | 13    | 12    | 5     |
| Abduction - Under 16 (3)                   |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 3     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Abduction - Contravening Custody Order (3) |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 7     | 10    | 6     | 14    | 10    | 20    |
| Abduction - No Custody Order               |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 5     | 5     | 6     | 7     | 5     | 12    |
| <b>TOTAL ABDUCTION</b>                     |                          |       |       |       |       |       | 22    | 25    | 22    | 34    | 27    | 37    |
| <b>ROBBERY OFFENCES</b>                    |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Robbery with Firearms                      | 80                       | 138   | 105   | 117   | 111   | 162   | 113   | 155   | 137   | 122   | 108   | 103   |
| Robbery with Other Offensive Weapon        | 128                      | 116   | 83    | 130   | 157   | 152   | 123   | 147   | 127   | 113   | 117   | 114   |
| Other Robbery                              | 456                      | 544   | 424   | 581   | 586   | 602   | 631   | 582   | 480   | 512   | 438   | 424   |
| <b>TOTAL ROBBERY</b>                       | 664                      | 798   | 612   | 828   | 854   | 916   | 867   | 884   | 744   | 747   | 663   | 641   |

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## NUMBER OF ADULTS CHARGED

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                | 1977         | 1978         | 1979         | 1980          | 1981          | 1982          | 1983          | 1984          | 1985          | 1986          | 1987          | 1988          |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>BREAK AND ENTER OFFENCES</b>     |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Break and Enter - Business Premises | 1,519        | 1,754        | 1,746        | 1,719         | 2,123         | 2,591         | 2,053         | 1,929         | 1,458         | 1,509         | 1,296         | 1,243         |
| Break and Enter - Residence         | 1,079        | 1,393        | 1,265        | 1,524         | 1,584         | 1,640         | 1,878         | 1,831         | 1,644         | 1,463         | 1,443         | 1,336         |
| Break and Enter - Other             | 894          | 1,003        | 977          | 1,010         | 1,063         | 1,188         | 1,151         | 1,270         | 1,047         | 1,064         | 974           | 900           |
| <b>TOTAL BREAK AND ENTER</b>        | <b>3,492</b> | <b>4,150</b> | <b>3,988</b> | <b>4,253</b>  | <b>4,770</b>  | <b>5,419</b>  | <b>5,082</b>  | <b>5,030</b>  | <b>4,149</b>  | <b>4,036</b>  | <b>3,713</b>  | <b>3,479</b>  |
| <b>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>          |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Automobile Theft                    | 727          | 709          | 716          | 785           | 725           | 606           | 586           | 519           | 480           | 439           | 449           | 458           |
| Truck Theft                         | 239          | 260          | 290          | 285           | 338           | 254           | 258           | 187           | 274           | 205           | 185           | 214           |
| Motorcycle Theft                    | 49           | 57           | 72           | 63            | 90            | 88            | 98            | 72            | 57            | 57            | 59            | 42            |
| Other Motor Vehicle Theft           | 32           | 41           | 43           | 44            | 37            | 61            | 32            | 39            | 40            | 41            | 24            | 22            |
| <b>TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>    | <b>1,047</b> | <b>1,067</b> | <b>1,121</b> | <b>1,177</b>  | <b>1,190</b>  | <b>1,009</b>  | <b>974</b>    | <b>817</b>    | <b>851</b>    | <b>742</b>    | <b>717</b>    | <b>736</b>    |
| <b>THEFT OFFENCES</b>               |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Bicycle Theft (4)                   | 44           | 72           | 87           | 76            | 106           | 178           | 154           | 181           | 107           | 89            | 109           | 68            |
| Theft from Motor Vehicle (4)        | 735          | 949          | 980          | 1,069         | 1,537         | 1,586         | 1,636         | 1,317         | 1,107         | 930           | 992           | 976           |
| Shoplifting (4)                     | 3,761        | 5,388        | 5,354        | 6,210         | 7,062         | 8,134         | 7,926         | 8,242         | 8,135         | 7,505         | 7,550         | 7,554         |
| Other Theft (4)                     | 3,630        | 3,132        | 3,313        | 3,530         | 3,986         | 4,767         | 4,959         | 4,746         | 4,516         | 4,113         | 4,135         | 4,248         |
| <b>TOTAL THEFT</b>                  | <b>8,170</b> | <b>9,541</b> | <b>9,734</b> | <b>10,885</b> | <b>12,691</b> | <b>14,665</b> | <b>14,675</b> | <b>14,486</b> | <b>13,865</b> | <b>12,637</b> | <b>12,786</b> | <b>12,846</b> |
| <b>HAVE STOLEN GOODS</b>            |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>TOTAL HAVE STOLEN GOODS</b>      | <b>1,662</b> | <b>1,593</b> | <b>1,568</b> | <b>1,608</b>  | <b>1,825</b>  | <b>1,698</b>  | <b>1,715</b>  | <b>1,746</b>  | <b>1,563</b>  | <b>1,622</b>  | <b>1,559</b>  | <b>1,717</b>  |
| <b>FRAUD OFFENCES</b>               |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Cheque Frauds                       | 1,964        | 2,122        | 1,988        | 2,093         | 1,966         | 1,515         | 1,327         | 1,412         | 1,058         | 982           | 827           | 775           |
| Credit Card Frauds                  | 189          | 312          | 292          | 326           | 437           | 564           | 505           | 594           | 527           | 513           | 452           | 429           |
| Other Frauds                        | 1,736        | 1,832        | 1,753        | 1,934         | 1,866         | 1,851         | 1,843         | 1,675         | 1,460         | 1,567         | 1,550         | 1,568         |
| <b>TOTAL FRAUDS</b>                 | <b>3,889</b> | <b>4,266</b> | <b>4,033</b> | <b>4,353</b>  | <b>4,269</b>  | <b>3,930</b>  | <b>3,675</b>  | <b>3,681</b>  | <b>3,045</b>  | <b>3,062</b>  | <b>2,829</b>  | <b>2,772</b>  |
| <b>PROSTITUTION</b>                 |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Bawdy House                         | 44           | 28           | 51           | 33            | 17            | 13            | 15            | 17            | 1             | 4             | 6             | 4             |
| Procuring                           | 2            | 6            | 6            | 0             | 0             | 2             | 0             | 0             | 1             | 7             | 6             | 3             |
| Other Prostitution (15)             | 310          | 84           | 65           | 10            | 3             | 5             | 6             | 1             | 2             | 655           | 1,333         | 1,274         |
| <b>TOTAL PROSTITUTION</b>           | <b>356</b>   | <b>118</b>   | <b>122</b>   | <b>43</b>     | <b>20</b>     | <b>20</b>     | <b>21</b>     | <b>19</b>     | <b>10</b>     | <b>665</b>    | <b>1,342</b>  | <b>1,284</b>  |
| <b>GAMING AND BETTING</b>           |              |              |              |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Betting House                       | 2            | 26           | 9            | 20            | 5             | 2             | 3             | 0             | 2             | 0             | 0             | 0             |
| Gaming House                        | 15           | 0            | 47           | 16            | 1             | 1             | 0             | 4             | 5             | 1             | 0             | 5             |
| Other Gaming & Betting              | 9            | 9            | 8            | 8             | 26            | 8             | 9             | 2             | 4             | 4             | 0             | 8             |
| <b>TOTAL GAMING &amp; BETTING</b>   | <b>26</b>    | <b>35</b>    | <b>64</b>    | <b>44</b>     | <b>32</b>     | <b>11</b>     | <b>12</b>     | <b>6</b>      | <b>11</b>     | <b>5</b>      | <b>0</b>      | <b>13</b>     |

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## NUMBER OF ADULTS CHARGED

| UCR OFFENSE CATEGORY                           | 1977          | 1978          | 1979          | 1980          | 1981          | 1982          | 1983          | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                       |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |
| Explosives                                     | 15            | 10            | 10            | 23            | 29            | 29            | 19            | 6            | 11           | 18           | 15           | 10           |
| Prohibited Weapons                             | 125           | 194           | 193           | 188           | 174           | 234           | 203           | 225          | 186          | 188          | 247          | 197          |
| Restricted Weapons                             | 167           | 141           | 127           | 154           | 144           | 167           | 141           | 149          | 156          | 149          | 153          | 144          |
| Other Offensive Weapons                        | 682           | 744           | 795           | 910           | 931           | 801           | 721           | 593          | 507          | 513          | 527          | 477          |
| <b>TOTAL OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                 | <b>989</b>    | <b>1,089</b>  | <b>1,125</b>  | <b>1,275</b>  | <b>1,278</b>  | <b>1,231</b>  | <b>1,084</b>  | <b>973</b>   | <b>860</b>   | <b>868</b>   | <b>942</b>   | <b>828</b>   |
| <b>CRIMINAL CODE OTHER - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b> |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |
| Arson                                          | 114           | 134           | 148           | 94            | 105           | 102           | 105           | 103          | 76           | 83           | 64           | 73           |
| Bail Violations                                | 1,526         | 1,579         | 1,444         | 1,635         | 2,014         | 1,797         | 1,751         | 1,400        | 962          | 1,135        | 624          | 741          |
| Counterfeit Currency                           | 18            | 17            | 13            | 26            | 11            | 4             | 6             | 7            | 7            | 36           | 22           | 6            |
| Disturb the Peace                              | 1,830         | 1,612         | 1,688         | 1,709         | 1,529         | 1,390         | 1,064         | 701          | 730          | 777          | 707          | 691          |
| Escape Custody                                 | 416           | 430           | 408           | 393           | 362           | 299           | 270           | 296          | 252          | 215          | 222          | 225          |
| Indecent Acts                                  | 204           | 171           | 197           | 201           | 226           | 196           | 203           | 201          | 202          | 222          | 233          | 246          |
| Kidnapping                                     | 35            | 46            | 39            | 44            | 39            | 38            | 43            | 33           | 41           | 47           | 45           | 35           |
| Public Morals                                  | 10            | 14            | 8             | 3             | 16            | 27            | 6             | 14           | 13           | 8            | 17           | 4            |
| Obstruct Police Officer                        | 449           | 456           | 586           | 633           | 534           | 500           | 497           | 432          | 333          | 419          | 413          | 404          |
| Prisoner At Large                              | 261           | 214           | 192           | 247           | 188           | 198           | 176           | 184          | 162          | 295          | 302          | 267          |
| Trespass - Night                               | 147           | 136           | 159           | 170           | 200           | 228           | 162           | 158          | 142          | 141          | 139          | 148          |
| Mischief and Property Damage (5)               | 2,355         | 2,569         | 3,011         | 3,331         | 3,303         | 2,793         | 2,402         | 2,179        | 2,276        | 2,167        | 2,167        | 2,278        |
| Other CC (16)                                  | 2,963         | 2,937         | 2,994         | 3,434         | 3,500         | 3,237         | 3,326         | 2,866        | 2,585        | 2,612        | 2,698        | 3,151        |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER CC - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b>      | <b>10,328</b> | <b>10,315</b> | <b>10,887</b> | <b>11,920</b> | <b>12,027</b> | <b>10,809</b> | <b>10,206</b> | <b>8,797</b> | <b>7,684</b> | <b>8,266</b> | <b>7,653</b> | <b>8,269</b> |
| <b>HEROIN OFFENSES</b>                         |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |
| Heroin - Possession                            | 512           | 592           | 224           | 198           | 136           | 141           | 190           | 123          | 98           | 124          | 109          | 137          |
| Heroin - Trafficking                           | 251           | 460           | 95            | 149           | 77            | 99            | 118           | 76           | 109          | 81           | 72           | 91           |
| Heroin - Importation                           | 6             | 12            | 4             | 5             | 6             | 8             | 13            | 6            | 15           | 5            | 8            | 5            |
| <b>TOTAL HEROIN</b>                            | <b>769</b>    | <b>1,064</b>  | <b>323</b>    | <b>352</b>    | <b>219</b>    | <b>248</b>    | <b>321</b>    | <b>205</b>   | <b>222</b>   | <b>210</b>   | <b>189</b>   | <b>233</b>   |
| <b>COCAINE OFFENSES</b>                        |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |
| Cocaine - Possession                           | 134           | 100           | 107           | 155           | 232           | 214           | 193           | 286          | 296          | 420          | 495          | 718          |
| Cocaine - Trafficking                          | 72            | 117           | 78            | 135           | 129           | 167           | 132           | 222          | 174          | 240          | 398          | 552          |
| Cocaine - Importation                          | 8             | 11            | 4             | 1             | 9             | 16            | 13            | 24           | 15           | 8            | 20           | 14           |
| <b>TOTAL COCAINE</b>                           | <b>214</b>    | <b>228</b>    | <b>189</b>    | <b>291</b>    | <b>370</b>    | <b>397</b>    | <b>338</b>    | <b>532</b>   | <b>485</b>   | <b>668</b>   | <b>913</b>   | <b>1,284</b> |
| <b>OTHER DRUG OFFENSES</b>                     |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |
| Other Drug - Possession                        | 133           | 99            | 92            | 68            | 79            | 58            | 40            | 96           | 217          | 248          | 327          | 263          |
| Other Drug - Trafficking                       | 52            | 48            | 34            | 41            | 48            | 35            | 13            | 129          | 77           | 99           | 155          | 118          |
| Other Drug - Importation                       | 7             | 0             | 1             | 3             | 1             | 1             | 7             | 3            | 1            | 3            | 2            | 1            |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER DRUGS</b>                       | <b>192</b>    | <b>147</b>    | <b>127</b>    | <b>112</b>    | <b>128</b>    | <b>94</b>     | <b>60</b>     | <b>228</b>   | <b>295</b>   | <b>350</b>   | <b>484</b>   | <b>382</b>   |

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| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                               | NUMBER OF ADULTS CHARGED |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                                    | 1977                     | 1978         | 1979          | 1980          | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
| <b>CANNABIS OFFENCES</b>                           |                          |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Cannabis - Possession                              | 6,168                    | 4,831        | 4,922         | 5,814         | 6,188        | 4,639        | 5,058        | 4,332        | 3,908        | 3,595        | 3,954        | 3,437        |
| Cannabis - Trafficking                             | 1,031                    | 866          | 802           | 1,007         | 1,161        | 1,348        | 1,130        | 1,026        | 1,045        | 1,184        | 1,449        | 1,384        |
| Cannabis - Importation                             | 17                       | 49           | 31            | 21            | 18           | 0            | 20           | 10           | 12           | 3            | 3            | 5            |
| Cannabis - Cultivation                             | 66                       | 87           | 60            | 51            | 34           | 67           | 116          | 140          | 137          | 213          | 298          | 366          |
| <b>TOTAL CANNABIS</b>                              | <b>7,282</b>             | <b>5,833</b> | <b>5,815</b>  | <b>6,893</b>  | <b>7,401</b> | <b>6,054</b> | <b>6,324</b> | <b>5,508</b> | <b>5,182</b> | <b>4,995</b> | <b>5,704</b> | <b>5,192</b> |
| <b>CONTROLLED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                    |                          |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| <b>TOTAL CONTROLLED DRUG - TRAFFICKING</b>         | <b>73</b>                | <b>73</b>    | <b>34</b>     | <b>49</b>     | <b>34</b>    | <b>35</b>    | <b>47</b>    | <b>75</b>    | <b>48</b>    | <b>55</b>    | <b>47</b>    | <b>39</b>    |
| <b>RESTRICTED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                    |                          |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Restricted Drugs - Possession                      | 174                      | 229          | 184           | 161           | 178          | 173          | 177          | 133          | 77           | 79           | 62           | 37           |
| Restricted Drugs - Trafficking                     | 127                      | 121          | 153           | 200           | 222          | 260          | 393          | 274          | 243          | 242          | 247          | 226          |
| <b>TOTAL RESTRICTED DRUGS</b>                      | <b>301</b>               | <b>350</b>   | <b>337</b>    | <b>361</b>    | <b>400</b>   | <b>433</b>   | <b>570</b>   | <b>407</b>   | <b>320</b>   | <b>321</b>   | <b>309</b>   | <b>263</b>   |
| <b>OTHER FEDERAL STATUTE OFFENCES</b>              |                          |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Bankruptcy Act                                     | 7                        | 9            | 5             | 2             | 7            | 2            | 1            | 1            | 5            | 3            | 5            | 5            |
| Canadian Shipping Act                              | 118                      | 76           | 104           | 219           | 295          | 119          | 313          | 243          | 179          | 79           | 129          | 180          |
| Customs Act                                        | 27                       | 52           | 45            | 43            | 36           | 21           | 24           | 22           | 19           | 30           | 58           | 12           |
| Excise Act                                         | 18                       | 13           | 13            | 3             | 6            | 18           | 7            | 7            | 12           | 14           | 8            | 8            |
| Immigration Act                                    | 149                      | 118          | 89            | 185           | 107          | 195          | 186          | 154          | 105          | 124          | 129          | 175          |
| Juvenile Delinquents Act (6)                       | 89                       | 93           | 63            | 56            | 62           | 48           | 32           | 8            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| Other Federal Statutes (16)                        | 1,651                    | 1,708        | 562           | 407           | 368          | 301          | 351          | 296          | 292          | 389          | 315          | 263          |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES - NOT TRAFFIC</b>  | <b>2,059</b>             | <b>2,069</b> | <b>881</b>    | <b>915</b>    | <b>881</b>   | <b>704</b>   | <b>914</b>   | <b>731</b>   | <b>612</b>   | <b>639</b>   | <b>644</b>   | <b>643</b>   |
| <b>PROVINCIAL STATUTE OFFENCES</b>                 |                          |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Liquor Act                                         | 6,493                    | 6,165        | 9,437         | 8,935         | 8,381        | 6,480        | 5,761        | 3,957        | 2,584        | 2,911        | 8,460        | 7,358        |
| Securities Act                                     | 11                       | 3            | 19            | 1             | 6            | 6            | 0            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 2            | 0            |
| Other Provincial Statutes                          | 1,163                    | 1,088        | 982           | 1,067         | 1,352        | 933          | 972          | 840          | 743          | 608          | 876          | 830          |
| <b>TOTAL PROVINCIAL STATUTES - NOT TRAFFIC (7)</b> | <b>7,667</b>             | <b>7,256</b> | <b>10,438</b> | <b>10,003</b> | <b>9,739</b> | <b>7,419</b> | <b>6,733</b> | <b>4,798</b> | <b>3,327</b> | <b>3,519</b> | <b>9,338</b> | <b>8,188</b> |
| <b>MUNICIPAL BYLAW OFFENCES</b>                    |                          |              |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| <b>TOTAL MUNICIPAL BYLAW - NOT TRAFFIC</b>         | <b>661</b>               | <b>439</b>   | <b>364</b>    | <b>442</b>    | <b>507</b>   | <b>960</b>   | <b>489</b>   | <b>415</b>   | <b>671</b>   | <b>700</b>   | <b>554</b>   | <b>432</b>   |

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|                              | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>S U M M A R Y</b>         |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PROPERTY (8) | 18,260 | 20,617 | 20,444 | 22,276 | 24,745 | 26,721 | 26,121 | 25,760 | 23,473 | 22,099 | 21,604 | 21,550 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSON (9)   | 5,593  | 5,779  | 6,098  | 6,918  | 6,854  | 6,575  | 6,860  | 7,838  | 8,492  | 9,531  | 9,837  | 10,943 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - OTHER (10)   | 11,699 | 11,557 | 12,198 | 13,282 | 13,357 | 12,071 | 11,323 | 9,795  | 8,565  | 9,804  | 9,937  | 10,394 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL (11)   | 35,552 | 37,953 | 38,740 | 42,476 | 44,956 | 45,367 | 44,304 | 43,394 | 40,530 | 41,434 | 41,378 | 42,887 |
| FEDERAL DRUGS (12)           | 8,831  | 7,695  | 6,825  | 8,058  | 8,552  | 7,261  | 7,660  | 6,955  | 6,552  | 6,599  | 7,646  | 7,393  |
| MUNICIPAL BYLAWS             | 661    | 439    | 364    | 442    | 507    | 960    | 489    | 415    | 700    | 554    | 554    | 432    |
| OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES (16)  | 2,059  | 2,069  | 881    | 915    | 881    | 704    | 914    | 731    | 612    | 639    | 644    | 643    |
| PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7,13)   | 7,667  | 7,256  | 10,438 | 10,003 | 9,739  | 7,419  | 6,733  | 4,798  | 3,327  | 3,519  | 9,338  | 8,188  |
| GRAND TOTAL (14,17)          | 54,770 | 55,412 | 57,248 | 61,894 | 64,635 | 61,711 | 60,100 | 56,293 | 51,692 | 52,891 | 59,560 | 59,543 |

|                             | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| <b>HOMICIDES</b>            |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Murder, 1st Degree          | 0    | 0    | 1    | 2    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 5    | 1    | 2    | 4    |
| Murder, 2nd Degree          | 4    | 3    | 2    | 4    | 1    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 4    | 1    | 2    | 5    |
| Manslaughter                | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    |
| Infanticide                 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| TOTAL HOMICIDE              | 5    | 3    | 3    | 6    | 2    | 0    | 2    | 1    | 9    | 2    | 5    | 9    |
| <b>ATTEMPTED MURDERS</b>    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| TOTAL ATTEMPTED MURDER      | 11   | 3    | 4    | 4    | 3    | 1    | 1    | 6    | 4    | 5    | 4    | 6    |

|                                       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |     |     |     |     |
|---------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>SEX OFFENCES</b>                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |     |     |     |     |
| Sex Assault - Level 1 (1)             |    |    |    |    |    |    | 50 | 51 | 117 | 155 | 1   | 6   |
| Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2 (1) |    |    |    |    |    |    | 4  | 3  | 2   | 6   | 4   | 3   |
| Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3 (1)  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 4  | 1  | 2   | 1   | 197 | 214 |
| Total Other Sex Offences (1)          |    |    |    |    |    |    | 2  | 9  | 8   | 7   | 7   | 7   |
| TOTAL SEX OFFENCES                    | 35 | 35 | 33 | 58 | 51 | 58 | 63 | 64 | 129 | 169 | 209 | 230 |

|                                          |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>NON SEXUAL ASSAULTS</b>               |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Assault Level 1 (2)                      |     |     |     |     |     |     | 130 | 206 | 394 | 502 | 577 | 548 |
| Asslt w. Weapon or Bod. Harm-Level 2 (2) |     |     |     |     |     |     | 76  | 111 | 124 | 220 | 187 | 207 |
| Aggravated Assault - Level 3 (2)         |     |     |     |     |     |     | 20  | 9   | 21  | 20  | 21  | 23  |
| Unlawful Bodily Harm (2)                 |     |     |     |     |     |     | 14  | 24  | 42  | 54  | 66  | 78  |
| Shoot With Intent (2)                    |     |     |     |     |     |     | 0   | 3   | 1   | 2   | 1   | 8   |
| Assault Police (2)                       |     |     |     |     |     |     | 24  | 11  | 27  | 39  | 38  | 41  |
| Assault Other Officers (2)               |     |     |     |     |     |     | 2   | 2   | 3   | 5   | 6   | 7   |
| Other Assault (2)                        |     |     |     |     |     |     | 25  | 4   | 5   | 10  | 7   | 8   |
| TOTAL ASSAULTS - NON SEX                 | 290 | 346 | 210 | 367 | 345 | 295 | 307 | 372 | 619 | 850 | 903 | 920 |

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| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                       | 1977  | 1978  | 1979  | 1980  | 1981  | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  |
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| <b>ABDUCTION OFFENCES</b>                  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Abduction - Under 14 (3)                   |       |       |       |       |       |       | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Abduction - Under 16 (3)                   |       |       |       |       |       |       | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Abduction - Contravening Custody Order (3) |       |       |       |       |       |       | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Abduction - No Custody Order               |       |       |       |       |       |       | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| TOTAL ABDUCTION                            |       |       |       |       |       |       | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| <b>ROBBERY OFFENCES</b>                    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Robbery with Firearms                      | 18    | 18    | 11    | 17    | 34    | 21    | 12    | 21    | 12    | 21    | 14    | 36    |
| Robbery with Other Offensive Weapon        | 42    | 36    | 29    | 34    | 45    | 26    | 34    | 23    | 50    | 43    | 26    | 32    |
| Other Robbery                              | 87    | 97    | 44    | 74    | 82    | 66    | 87    | 85    | 91    | 86    | 82    | 100   |
| TOTAL ROBBERY                              | 147   | 151   | 84    | 125   | 161   | 113   | 133   | 129   | 153   | 150   | 122   | 168   |
| <b>BREAK AND ENTER OFFENCES</b>            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Break and Enter - Business Premises        | 1,305 | 1,503 | 814   | 1,080 | 1,449 | 1,035 | 975   | 844   | 937   | 1,199 | 909   | 829   |
| Break and Enter - Residence                | 1,709 | 2,055 | 1,165 | 1,792 | 1,927 | 1,718 | 2,096 | 1,563 | 1,920 | 2,096 | 1,998 | 1,854 |
| Break and Enter - Other                    | 436   | 526   | 385   | 530   | 660   | 516   | 603   | 635   | 739   | 629   | 617   | 498   |
| TOTAL BREAK AND ENTER                      | 3,450 | 4,084 | 2,364 | 3,402 | 4,036 | 3,269 | 3,674 | 3,042 | 3,596 | 3,924 | 3,524 | 3,181 |
| <b>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>                 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Automobile Theft                           | 646   | 775   | 401   | 597   | 562   | 404   | 326   | 262   | 337   | 402   | 352   | 507   |
| Truck Theft                                | 164   | 234   | 154   | 165   | 165   | 134   | 123   | 87    | 120   | 145   | 163   | 163   |
| Motorcycle Theft                           | 51    | 95    | 67    | 104   | 149   | 99    | 112   | 60    | 91    | 123   | 113   | 76    |
| Other Motor Vehicle Theft                  | 26    | 28    | 23    | 7     | 33    | 33    | 37    | 22    | 30    | 30    | 31    | 23    |
| TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT                  | 887   | 1,132 | 645   | 873   | 909   | 670   | 598   | 431   | 578   | 700   | 659   | 769   |
| <b>THEFT OFFENCES</b>                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Bicycle Theft (4)                          | 126   | 130   | 82    | 220   | 281   | 294   | 429   | 278   | 242   | 237   | 174   | 153   |
| Theft from Motor Vehicle (4)               | 447   | 601   | 284   | 571   | 671   | 608   | 671   | 505   | 720   | 868   | 973   | 916   |
| Shoplifting (4)                            | 1,680 | 2,266 | 1,456 | 2,749 | 2,908 | 2,908 | 3,636 | 3,369 | 4,201 | 4,421 | 3,987 | 3,730 |
| Other Theft (4)                            | 934   | 1,110 | 582   | 1,095 | 1,236 | 860   | 1,102 | 805   | 1,046 | 1,206 | 1,042 | 1,022 |
| TOTAL THEFT                                | 3,187 | 4,107 | 2,404 | 4,635 | 5,096 | 4,670 | 5,838 | 4,957 | 6,209 | 6,732 | 6,176 | 5,821 |
| <b>HAVE STOLEN GOODS</b>                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| TOTAL HAVE STOLEN GOODS                    | 450   | 498   | 321   | 475   | 553   | 418   | 445   | 387   | 577   | 723   | 676   | 771   |

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| UCR OFFENSE CATEGORY                           | 1977         | 1978         | 1979       | 1980         | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987         | 1988         |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>FRAUD OFFENSES</b>                          |              |              |            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Cheque Frauds                                  | 68           | 82           | 49         | 67           | 69           | 59           | 54           | 43           | 67           | 75           | 43           | 32           |
| Credit Card Frauds                             | 9            | 27           | 27         | 17           | 27           | 30           | 23           | 21           | 46           | 60           | 66           | 85           |
| Other Frauds                                   | 88           | 70           | 55         | 126          | 126          | 90           | 76           | 74           | 132          | 178          | 132          | 140          |
| <b>TOTAL FRAUDS</b>                            | <b>165</b>   | <b>179</b>   | <b>131</b> | <b>210</b>   | <b>222</b>   | <b>179</b>   | <b>153</b>   | <b>138</b>   | <b>245</b>   | <b>313</b>   | <b>241</b>   | <b>257</b>   |
| <b>PROSTITUTION</b>                            |              |              |            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Bawdy House                                    | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 0            | 0            |
| Procuring                                      | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0            |
| Other Prostitution (15)                        | 2            | 1            | 0          | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 46           | 91           | 72           |
| <b>TOTAL PROSTITUTION</b>                      | <b>2</b>     | <b>1</b>     | <b>0</b>   | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>1</b>     | <b>2</b>     | <b>46</b>    | <b>92</b>    | <b>72</b>    |
| <b>GAMING AND BETTING</b>                      |              |              |            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Betting House                                  | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            |
| Gaming House                                   | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            |
| Other Gaming & Betting                         | 0            | 0            | 0          | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0            |
| <b>TOTAL GAMING &amp; BETTING</b>              | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>   | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>     |
| <b>OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                       |              |              |            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Explosives                                     | 4            | 10           | 2          | 4            | 7            | 14           | 3            | 3            | 1            | 11           | 14           | 10           |
| Prohibited Weapons                             | 12           | 20           | 9          | 24           | 14           | 24           | 26           | 30           | 38           | 49           | 60           | 67           |
| Restricted Weapons                             | 10           | 11           | 5          | 9            | 7            | 4            | 6            | 9            | 9            | 6            | 6            | 6            |
| Other Offensive Weapons                        | 60           | 64           | 62         | 88           | 77           | 62           | 71           | 54           | 82           | 72           | 81           | 83           |
| <b>TOTAL OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>                 | <b>86</b>    | <b>105</b>   | <b>78</b>  | <b>125</b>   | <b>105</b>   | <b>104</b>   | <b>106</b>   | <b>96</b>    | <b>130</b>   | <b>138</b>   | <b>161</b>   | <b>166</b>   |
| <b>CRIMINAL CODE OTHER - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b> |              |              |            |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Arson                                          | 68           | 64           | 42         | 63           | 58           | 23           | 47           | 44           | 42           | 58           | 57           | 32           |
| Bail Violations                                | 8            | 14           | 4          | 7            | 10           | 20           | 27           | 28           | 32           | 69           | 88           | 79           |
| Counterfeit Currency                           | 0            | 1            | 0          | 0            | 1            | 0            | 10           | 0            | 0            | 0            | 1            | 0            |
| Disturb the Peace                              | 133          | 125          | 75         | 124          | 108          | 59           | 66           | 46           | 92           | 131          | 111          | 104          |
| Escape Custody                                 | 29           | 35           | 11         | 32           | 34           | 11           | 10           | 56           | 209          | 191          | 167          | 133          |
| Indecent Acts                                  | 8            | 8            | 10         | 17           | 21           | 23           | 13           | 13           | 20           | 25           | 22           | 16           |
| Kidnapping                                     | 0            | 2            | 1          | 2            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 3            | 4            | 0            | 0            | 13           |
| Public Morals                                  | 3            | 0            | 0          | 3            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 2            | 1            | 0            | 1            | 1            |
| Obstruct Police Officer                        | 17           | 15           | 16         | 21           | 23           | 25           | 20           | 15           | 31           | 48           | 42           | 40           |
| Prisoner At Large                              | 2            | 3            | 2          | 9            | 21           | 12           | 6            | 15           | 28           | 46           | 51           | 14           |
| Trespass - Night                               | 22           | 31           | 15         | 44           | 25           | 24           | 21           | 43           | 44           | 50           | 36           | 49           |
| Mischief and Property Damage (5)               | 722          | 944          | 582        | 1,060        | 1,061        | 523          | 564          | 485          | 684          | 924          | 844          | 886          |
| Other CC (16)                                  | 339          | 341          | 214        | 398          | 373          | 334          | 328          | 343          | 394          | 532          | 570          | 495          |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER CC - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b>      | <b>1,351</b> | <b>1,583</b> | <b>972</b> | <b>1,780</b> | <b>1,736</b> | <b>1,055</b> | <b>1,114</b> | <b>1,093</b> | <b>1,581</b> | <b>2,074</b> | <b>1,990</b> | <b>1,862</b> |

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| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                  | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
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| <u>HEROIN OFFENCES</u>                |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Heroin - Possession                   | 2    | 1    | 3    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 2    | 1    |
| Heroin - Trafficking                  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 2    |
| Heroin - Importation                  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| TOTAL HEROIN                          | 2    | 1    | 3    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 3    | 2    | 2    | 3    |
| <u>COCAINE OFFENCES</u>               |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Cocaine - Possession                  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 3    | 0    | 3    | 1    | 3    | 14   | 11   | 10   |
| Cocaine - Trafficking                 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 2    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 2    | 9    |
| Cocaine - Importation                 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| TOTAL COCAINE                         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 4    | 2    | 3    | 1    | 4    | 15   | 13   | 19   |
| <u>OTHER DRUG OFFENCES</u>            |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Other Drug - Possession               | 9    | 5    | 4    | 2    | 3    | 1    | 5    | 1    | 4    | 1    | 5    | 6    |
| Other Drug - Trafficking              | 1    | 3    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 2    | 6    | 1    | 1    |
| Other Drug - Importation              | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 3    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| TOTAL OTHER DRUGS                     | 10   | 8    | 5    | 3    | 6    | 1    | 5    | 1    | 6    | 7    | 6    | 7    |
| <u>CANNABIS OFFENCES</u>              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Cannabis - Possession                 | 525  | 438  | 301  | 491  | 545  | 321  | 366  | 352  | 547  | 572  | 644  | 522  |
| Cannabis - Trafficking                | 33   | 26   | 25   | 50   | 56   | 51   | 34   | 25   | 78   | 147  | 216  | 163  |
| Cannabis - Importation                | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    |
| Cannabis - Cultivation                | 1    | 1    | 0    | 3    | 2    | 1    | 5    | 1    | 2    | 2    | 4    | 3    |
| TOTAL CANNABIS                        | 559  | 465  | 326  | 544  | 603  | 374  | 406  | 378  | 627  | 721  | 864  | 689  |
| <u>CONTROLLED DRUG OFFENCES</u>       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| TOTAL CONTROLLED DRUG - TRAFFICKING   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 1    | 1    |
| <u>RESTRICTED DRUG OFFENCES</u>       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Restricted Drugs - Possession         | 8    | 6    | 11   | 11   | 19   | 5    | 18   | 1    | 9    | 15   | 22   | 12   |
| Restricted Drugs - Trafficking        | 6    | 1    | 6    | 11   | 8    | 9    | 25   | 17   | 29   | 42   | 36   | 32   |
| TOTAL RESTRICTED DRUGS                | 14   | 7    | 17   | 22   | 27   | 14   | 43   | 18   | 38   | 57   | 58   | 44   |
| <u>OTHER FEDERAL STATUTE OFFENCES</u> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Bankruptcy Act                        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| Canadian Shipping Act                 | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 5    | 4    | 5    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 3    | 6    |
| Customs Act                           | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    |
| Excise Act                            | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 1    | 0    |

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| NUMBER OF JUVENILES CHARGED                 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| OTHER FEDERAL STATUTE OFFENCES Cont'd       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Immigration Act                             | 0     | 0     | 0     | 3     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 6     | 0     | 0     | 2     |
| Juvenile Delinquents Act (6)                | 10    | 14    | 7     | 27    | 7     | 7     | 25    | 28    | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| Other Federal Statutes (16)                 | 19    | 18    | 5     | 9     | 15    | 2     | 13    | 43    | 82    | 124   | 96    | 209   |
| TOTAL OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES - NOT TRAFFIC  | 29    | 33    | 13    | 40    | 27    | 14    | 43    | 72    | 91    | 128   | 101   | 218   |
| PROVINCIAL STATUTE OFFENCES                 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Liquor Act                                  | 1,444 | 1,329 | 1,636 | 2,115 | 2,260 | 1,546 | 1,433 | 1,038 | 1,775 | 2,509 | 5,402 | 4,741 |
| Securities Act                              | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Other Provincial Statutes                   | 98    | 91    | 68    | 95    | 130   | 111   | 58    | 52    | 84    | 99    | 112   | 109   |
| TOTAL PROVINCIAL STATUTES - NOT TRAFFIC (7) | 1,542 | 1,420 | 1,704 | 2,210 | 2,390 | 1,657 | 1,491 | 1,090 | 1,860 | 2,608 | 5,514 | 4,850 |
| MUNICIPAL BYLAW OFFENCES                    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| TOTAL MUNICIPAL BYLAW - NOT TRAFFIC         | 37    | 24    | 23    | 39    | 41    | 44    | 30    | 28    | 37    | 66    | 55    | 91    |

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| NUMBER OF JUVENILES CHARGED  |        |        |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| SUMMARY                      |        |        |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PROPERTY (8) | 8,139  | 10,000 | 5,865 | 9,595  | 10,816 | 9,206  | 10,708 | 8,955  | 11,205 | 12,392 | 11,276 | 10,799 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSON (9)   | 488    | 538    | 334   | 580    | 562    | 467    | 506    | 572    | 915    | 1,176  | 1,243  | 1,333  |
| CRIMINAL CODE - OTHER (10)   | 1,439  | 1,689  | 1,050 | 1,905  | 1,841  | 1,159  | 1,220  | 1,190  | 1,713  | 2,258  | 2,243  | 2,100  |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL (11)   | 10,066 | 12,227 | 7,249 | 12,080 | 13,219 | 10,832 | 12,434 | 10,717 | 13,833 | 15,826 | 14,762 | 14,232 |
| FEDERAL DRUGS (12)           | 505    | 481    | 351   | 571    | 641    | 391    | 458    | 399    | 679    | 802    | 944    | 763    |
| MUNICIPAL BYLAWS             | 37     | 24     | 23    | 39     | 41     | 44     | 30     | 28     | 37     | 66     | 55     | 91     |
| OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES (16)  | 29     | 33     | 13    | 40     | 27     | 14     | 43     | 72     | 91     | 128    | 101    | 218    |
| PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7,13)   | 1,542  | 1,420  | 1,704 | 2,210  | 2,390  | 1,657  | 1,491  | 1,090  | 1,860  | 2,608  | 5,514  | 4,850  |
| GRAND TOTAL (14,17)          | 12,259 | 14,185 | 9,340 | 14,940 | 16,318 | 12,938 | 14,456 | 12,306 | 16,500 | 19,430 | 21,376 | 20,154 |

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| TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| HOMICIDES             |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Murder, 1st Degree    | 19   | 20   | 30   | 32   | 29   | 13   | 28   | 23   | 30   | 24   | 28   | 20   |
| Murder, 2nd Degree    | 46   | 46   | 50   | 58   | 52   | 51   | 54   | 52   | 61   | 36   | 43   | 33   |
| Manslaughter          | 7    | 2    | 7    | 5    | 8    | 16   | 6    | 9    | 8    | 8    | 4    | 8    |
| Infanticide           | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    |
| TOTAL HOMICIDE        | 72   | 68   | 88   | 95   | 89   | 80   | 88   | 84   | 99   | 69   | 75   | 61   |

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| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                       | TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                            | 1977                  | 1978  | 1979  | 1980  | 1981  | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  |
| ATTEMPTED MURDERS                          |                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| TOTAL ATTEMPTED MURDER                     | 97                    | 85    | 78    | 93    | 105   | 114   | 89    | 75    | 79    | 79    | 68    | 89    |
| SEX OFFENCES                               |                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Sex Assault - Level 1 (1)                  |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 494   | 689   | 952   | 1,135 | 27    | 33    |
| Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2 (1)      |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 49    | 43    | 53    | 47    | 51    | 56    |
| Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3 (1)       |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 53    | 37    | 26    | 27    | 1,299 | 1,593 |
| Total Other Sex Offences (1)               |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 106   | 107   | 103   | 119   | 79    | 79    |
| TOTAL SEX OFFENCES                         | 496                   | 555   | 522   | 557   | 572   | 604   | 737   | 883   | 1,135 | 1,328 | 1,456 | 1,761 |
| NON SEXUAL ASSAULTS                        |                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Assault Level 1 (2)                        |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 2,533 | 3,574 | 4,466 | 5,257 | 5,632 | 6,179 |
| Asslt w. Weapon or Bod. Harm-Level 2 (2)   |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 1,250 | 1,454 | 1,418 | 1,664 | 1,608 | 1,813 |
| Aggravated Assault - Level 3 (2)           |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 304   | 305   | 270   | 254   | 218   | 226   |
| Unlawful Bodily Harm (2)                   |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 316   | 440   | 575   | 601   | 648   | 758   |
| Shoot With Intent (2)                      |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 7     | 17    | 16    | 29    | 14    | 26    |
| Assault Police (2)                         |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 508   | 416   | 354   | 415   | 483   | 418   |
| Assault Other Officers (2)                 |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 59    | 49    | 42    | 38    | 29    | 50    |
| Other Assault (2)                          |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 251   | 71    | 33    | 41    | 37    | 49    |
| TOTAL ASSAULTS - NON SEX                   | 4,605                 | 4,660 | 5,048 | 5,800 | 5,635 | 5,215 | 5,430 | 6,330 | 7,174 | 8,300 | 8,669 | 9,519 |
| ABDUCTION OFFENCES                         |                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Abduction - Under 14 (3)                   |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 7     | 10    | 9     | 13    | 12    | 5     |
| Abduction - Under 16 (3)                   |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 3     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| Abduction - Contravening Custody Order (3) |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 7     | 10    | 7     | 14    | 10    | 20    |
| Abduction - No Custody Order               |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 5     | 5     | 6     | 7     | 5     | 12    |
| TOTAL ABDUCTION                            |                       |       |       |       |       |       | 22    | 25    | 23    | 34    | 27    | 37    |
| ROBBERY OFFENCES                           |                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Robbery with Firearms                      | 98                    | 156   | 116   | 134   | 145   | 183   | 125   | 176   | 149   | 143   | 122   | 139   |
| Robbery with Other Offensive Weapon        | 170                   | 152   | 112   | 164   | 202   | 178   | 157   | 170   | 177   | 156   | 143   | 146   |
| Other Robbery                              | 543                   | 641   | 468   | 655   | 668   | 668   | 718   | 667   | 571   | 598   | 520   | 524   |
| TOTAL ROBBERY                              | 811                   | 949   | 696   | 953   | 1,015 | 1,029 | 1,000 | 1,013 | 897   | 897   | 785   | 809   |
| BREAK AND ENTER OFFENCES                   |                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Break and Enter - Business Premises        | 2,824                 | 3,257 | 2,560 | 2,799 | 3,572 | 3,626 | 3,028 | 2,773 | 2,395 | 2,708 | 2,205 | 2,072 |
| Break and Enter - Residence                | 2,788                 | 3,448 | 2,430 | 3,316 | 3,511 | 3,358 | 3,974 | 3,594 | 3,564 | 3,559 | 3,441 | 3,190 |
| Break and Enter - Other                    | 1,330                 | 1,529 | 1,362 | 1,540 | 1,723 | 1,704 | 1,754 | 1,905 | 1,786 | 1,693 | 1,591 | 1,398 |
| TOTAL BREAK AND ENTER                      | 6,942                 | 8,234 | 6,352 | 7,655 | 8,806 | 8,688 | 8,756 | 8,072 | 7,745 | 7,960 | 7,237 | 6,660 |

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## TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY         | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <u>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</u>   |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Automobile Theft             | 1,373  | 1,484  | 1,117  | 1,382  | 1,287  | 1,010  | 912    | 781    | 817    | 841    | 801    | 965    |
| Truck Theft                  | 403    | 494    | 444    | 450    | 503    | 388    | 381    | 274    | 394    | 350    | 348    | 377    |
| Motorcycle Theft             | 100    | 152    | 139    | 167    | 239    | 187    | 210    | 132    | 148    | 180    | 172    | 118    |
| Other Motor Vehicle Theft    | 58     | 69     | 66     | 51     | 70     | 94     | 69     | 61     | 70     | 71     | 55     | 45     |
| TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT    | 1,934  | 2,199  | 1,766  | 2,050  | 2,099  | 1,679  | 1,572  | 1,248  | 1,429  | 1,442  | 1,376  | 1,505  |
| <u>THEFT OFFENCES</u>        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Bicycle Theft (4)            | 170    | 202    | 169    | 296    | 387    | 472    | 583    | 459    | 349    | 326    | 283    | 221    |
| Theft from Motor Vehicle (4) | 1,182  | 1,550  | 1,264  | 1,640  | 2,208  | 2,194  | 2,307  | 1,822  | 1,827  | 1,798  | 1,965  | 1,892  |
| Shoplifting (4)              | 5,441  | 7,654  | 6,810  | 8,959  | 9,970  | 11,042 | 11,562 | 11,611 | 12,336 | 11,926 | 11,537 | 11,284 |
| Other Theft (4)              | 4,564  | 4,242  | 3,895  | 4,625  | 5,222  | 5,627  | 6,061  | 5,551  | 5,562  | 5,319  | 5,177  | 5,270  |
| TOTAL THEFT                  | 11,357 | 13,648 | 12,138 | 15,520 | 17,787 | 19,335 | 20,513 | 19,443 | 20,074 | 19,369 | 18,962 | 18,667 |
| <u>HAVE STOLEN GOODS</u>     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| TOTAL HAVE STOLEN GOODS      | 2,112  | 2,091  | 1,889  | 2,083  | 2,378  | 2,116  | 2,160  | 2,133  | 2,140  | 2,345  | 2,235  | 2,488  |
| <u>FRAUD OFFENCES</u>        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Cheque Frauds                | 2,032  | 2,204  | 2,037  | 2,160  | 2,035  | 1,574  | 1,381  | 1,455  | 1,125  | 1,057  | 870    | 807    |
| Credit Card Frauds           | 198    | 339    | 319    | 343    | 464    | 594    | 528    | 615    | 573    | 573    | 518    | 514    |
| Other Frauds                 | 1,824  | 1,902  | 1,808  | 2,060  | 1,992  | 1,941  | 1,919  | 1,749  | 1,592  | 1,745  | 1,682  | 1,708  |
| TOTAL FRAUDS                 | 4,054  | 4,445  | 4,164  | 4,563  | 4,491  | 4,109  | 3,828  | 3,819  | 3,290  | 3,375  | 3,070  | 3,029  |
| <u>PROSTITUTION</u>          |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Bawdy House                  | 44     | 28     | 51     | 33     | 17     | 13     | 15     | 18     | 2      | 4      | 6      | 4      |
| Procuring                    | 2      | 6      | 6      | 0      | 0      | 2      | 0      | 1      | 7      | 6      | 4      | 6      |
| Other Prostitution (15)      | 312    | 85     | 65     | 10     | 3      | 5      | 6      | 1      | 3      | 701    | 1,424  | 1,346  |
| TOTAL PROSTITUTION           | 358    | 119    | 122    | 43     | 20     | 20     | 21     | 20     | 12     | 711    | 1,434  | 1,356  |
| <u>GAMING AND BETTING</u>    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Betting House                | 2      | 26     | 9      | 20     | 5      | 2      | 3      | 0      | 2      | 0      | 0      | 0      |
| Gaming House                 | 15     | 0      | 47     | 16     | 1      | 1      | 0      | 4      | 5      | 1      | 0      | 5      |
| Other Gaming & Betting       | 9      | 9      | 8      | 8      | 26     | 8      | 9      | 2      | 4      | 4      | 0      | 8      |
| TOTAL GAMING & BETTING       | 26     | 35     | 64     | 44     | 32     | 11     | 12     | 6      | 11     | 5      | 0      | 13     |

## TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED

## UCR OFFENSE CATEGORY

|                                | 1977         | 1978         | 1979         | 1980         | 1981         | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985       | 1986         | 1987         | 1988       |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| <b>OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b>       |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |            |              |              |            |
| Explosives                     | 19           | 20           | 12           | 27           | 36           | 43           | 22           | 9            | 12         | 29           | 29           | 20         |
| Prohibited Weapons             | 137          | 214          | 202          | 212          | 188          | 258          | 229          | 255          | 224        | 237          | 307          | 264        |
| Restricted Weapons             | 177          | 152          | 132          | 163          | 151          | 171          | 147          | 158          | 165        | 155          | 159          | 150        |
| Other Offensive Weapons        | 742          | 808          | 857          | 998          | 1,008        | 863          | 792          | 647          | 589        | 585          | 608          | 560        |
| <b>TOTAL OFFENSIVE WEAPONS</b> | <b>1,075</b> | <b>1,194</b> | <b>1,203</b> | <b>1,400</b> | <b>1,383</b> | <b>1,335</b> | <b>1,190</b> | <b>1,069</b> | <b>990</b> | <b>1,006</b> | <b>1,103</b> | <b>994</b> |

## CRIMINAL CODE OTHER - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC

|                                           |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |              |              |               |              |               |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| Arson                                     | 182           | 198           | 190           | 157           | 163           | 125           | 152           | 147          | 118          | 141           | 121          | 105           |
| Bail Violations                           | 1,534         | 1,593         | 1,448         | 1,642         | 2,024         | 1,817         | 1,778         | 1,428        | 994          | 1,204         | 712          | 820           |
| Counterfeit Currency                      | 18            | 18            | 13            | 26            | 12            | 4             | 16            | 7            | 7            | 36            | 23           | 6             |
| Disturb the Peace                         | 1,963         | 1,737         | 1,763         | 1,833         | 1,637         | 1,449         | 1,130         | 747          | 822          | 908           | 818          | 795           |
| Escape Custody                            | 445           | 465           | 419           | 425           | 396           | 310           | 280           | 352          | 461          | 406           | 389          | 358           |
| Indecent Acts                             | 212           | 179           | 207           | 218           | 247           | 219           | 216           | 214          | 222          | 247           | 255          | 262           |
| Kidnapping                                | 35            | 48            | 40            | 46            | 40            | 38            | 44            | 36           | 45           | 47            | 45           | 48            |
| Public Morals                             | 13            | 14            | 8             | 6             | 16            | 28            | 7             | 16           | 14           | 8             | 18           | 5             |
| Obstruct Police Officer                   | 466           | 471           | 602           | 654           | 557           | 525           | 517           | 447          | 364          | 467           | 455          | 444           |
| Prisoner At Large                         | 263           | 217           | 194           | 256           | 209           | 210           | 182           | 199          | 190          | 341           | 353          | 281           |
| Trespass - Night                          | 169           | 167           | 174           | 214           | 225           | 252           | 183           | 201          | 186          | 191           | 175          | 197           |
| Mischief and Property Damage (5)          | 3,077         | 3,513         | 3,593         | 4,391         | 4,364         | 3,316         | 3,161         | 2,887        | 2,863        | 3,200         | 3,011        | 3,164         |
| Other CC (16)                             | 3,302         | 3,278         | 3,208         | 3,832         | 3,873         | 3,571         | 3,654         | 3,209        | 2,979        | 3,144         | 3,268        | 3,646         |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER CC - EXCLUDING TRAFFIC</b> | <b>11,679</b> | <b>11,898</b> | <b>11,859</b> | <b>13,700</b> | <b>13,763</b> | <b>11,864</b> | <b>11,320</b> | <b>9,890</b> | <b>9,265</b> | <b>10,340</b> | <b>9,643</b> | <b>10,131</b> |

## HEROIN OFFENSES

|                      |            |              |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
|----------------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Heroin - Possession  | 514        | 593          | 227        | 198        | 136        | 141        | 191        | 123        | 99         | 125        | 111        | 138        |
| Heroin - Trafficking | 251        | 460          | 95         | 149        | 77         | 99         | 118        | 76         | 110        | 82         | 72         | 93         |
| Heroin - Importation | 6          | 12           | 4          | 5          | 6          | 8          | 13         | 6          | 16         | 5          | 8          | 5          |
| <b>TOTAL HEROIN</b>  | <b>771</b> | <b>1,065</b> | <b>326</b> | <b>352</b> | <b>219</b> | <b>248</b> | <b>322</b> | <b>205</b> | <b>225</b> | <b>212</b> | <b>191</b> | <b>236</b> |

## COCAINE OFFENSES

|                       |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |              |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| Cocaine - Possession  | 134        | 100        | 107        | 156        | 235        | 214        | 196        | 287        | 299        | 434        | 506        | 728          |
| Cocaine - Trafficking | 72         | 117        | 78         | 135        | 130        | 169        | 132        | 222        | 175        | 241        | 400        | 561          |
| Cocaine - Importation | 8          | 11         | 4          | 1          | 9          | 16         | 13         | 24         | 15         | 8          | 20         | 14           |
| <b>TOTAL COCAINE</b>  | <b>214</b> | <b>228</b> | <b>189</b> | <b>292</b> | <b>374</b> | <b>399</b> | <b>341</b> | <b>533</b> | <b>489</b> | <b>683</b> | <b>926</b> | <b>1,303</b> |

## OTHER DRUG OFFENSES

|                          |            |            |            |            |            |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Other Drug - Possession  | 142        | 104        | 96         | 70         | 82         | 59        | 45        | 97         | 221        | 249        | 332        | 269        |
| Other Drug - Trafficking | 53         | 51         | 35         | 42         | 48         | 35        | 13        | 129        | 79         | 105        | 156        | 119        |
| Other Drug - Importation | 7          | 0          | 1          | 3          | 4          | 1         | 7         | 3          | 1          | 3          | 2          | 1          |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER DRUGS</b> | <b>202</b> | <b>155</b> | <b>132</b> | <b>115</b> | <b>134</b> | <b>95</b> | <b>65</b> | <b>229</b> | <b>301</b> | <b>357</b> | <b>490</b> | <b>389</b> |

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## TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED

| UCR OFFENCE CATEGORY                               | 1977         | 1978         | 1979          | 1980          | 1981          | 1982         | 1983         | 1984         | 1985         | 1986         | 1987          | 1988          |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>CANNABIS OFFENCES</b>                           |              |              |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |               |               |
| Cannabis - Possession                              | 6,693        | 5,269        | 5,223         | 6,305         | 6,733         | 4,960        | 5,424        | 4,684        | 4,535        | 4,167        | 4,598         | 3,959         |
| Cannabis - Trafficking                             | 1,064        | 892          | 827           | 1,057         | 1,217         | 1,399        | 1,164        | 1,051        | 1,123        | 1,331        | 1,665         | 1,547         |
| Cannabis - Importation                             | 17           | 49           | 31            | 21            | 18            | 1            | 1            | 10           | 12           | 3            | 3             | 6             |
| Cannabis - Cultivation                             | 67           | 88           | 60            | 54            | 36            | 68           | 121          | 141          | 139          | 215          | 302           | 369           |
| <b>TOTAL CANNABIS</b>                              | <b>7,841</b> | <b>6,298</b> | <b>6,141</b>  | <b>7,437</b>  | <b>8,004</b>  | <b>6,428</b> | <b>6,730</b> | <b>5,886</b> | <b>5,809</b> | <b>5,716</b> | <b>6,568</b>  | <b>5,881</b>  |
| <b>CONTROLLED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                    |              |              |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |               |               |
| <b>TOTAL CONTROLLED DRUG - TRAFFICKING</b>         | <b>73</b>    | <b>73</b>    | <b>34</b>     | <b>50</b>     | <b>35</b>     | <b>35</b>    | <b>47</b>    | <b>76</b>    | <b>49</b>    | <b>55</b>    | <b>48</b>     | <b>40</b>     |
| <b>RESTRICTED DRUG OFFENCES</b>                    |              |              |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |               |               |
| Restricted Drugs - Possession                      | 182          | 235          | 195           | 172           | 197           | 178          | 195          | 134          | 86           | 94           | 84            | 49            |
| Restricted Drugs - Trafficking                     | 133          | 122          | 159           | 211           | 230           | 269          | 418          | 291          | 272          | 284          | 283           | 258           |
| <b>TOTAL RESTRICTED DRUGS</b>                      | <b>315</b>   | <b>357</b>   | <b>354</b>    | <b>383</b>    | <b>427</b>    | <b>447</b>   | <b>613</b>   | <b>425</b>   | <b>358</b>   | <b>378</b>   | <b>367</b>    | <b>307</b>    |
| <b>OTHER FEDERAL STATUTE OFFENCES</b>              |              |              |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |               |               |
| Bankruptcy Act                                     | 7            | 9            | 5             | 2             | 7             | 2            | 1            | 1            | 5            | 3            | 5             | 5             |
| Canadian Shipping Act                              | 118          | 77           | 105           | 220           | 300           | 123          | 318          | 243          | 180          | 80           | 132           | 186           |
| Customs Act                                        | 27           | 52           | 45            | 43            | 36            | 21           | 24           | 22           | 19           | 30           | 59            | 13            |
| Excise Act                                         | 18           | 13           | 13            | 3             | 6             | 18           | 7            | 7            | 13           | 14           | 9             | 8             |
| Immigration Act                                    | 149          | 118          | 89            | 188           | 107           | 196          | 186          | 155          | 111          | 124          | 129           | 177           |
| Juvenile Delinquents Act (6)                       | 99           | 107          | 70            | 83            | 69            | 55           | 57           | 36           | -            | -            | -             | -             |
| Other Federal Statutes (16)                        | 1,670        | 1,726        | 567           | 416           | 383           | 303          | 364          | 339          | 374          | 513          | 411           | 472           |
| <b>TOTAL OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES - NOT TRAFFIC</b>  | <b>2,088</b> | <b>2,102</b> | <b>894</b>    | <b>955</b>    | <b>908</b>    | <b>718</b>   | <b>957</b>   | <b>803</b>   | <b>703</b>   | <b>767</b>   | <b>745</b>    | <b>861</b>    |
| <b>PROVINCIAL STATUTE OFFENCES</b>                 |              |              |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |               |               |
| Liquor Act                                         | 7,937        | 7,494        | 11,073        | 11,050        | 10,641        | 8,026        | 7,194        | 4,995        | 4,359        | 5,420        | 13,862        | 12,099        |
| Securities Act                                     | 11           | 3            | 19            | 1             | 6             | 6            | 0            | 1            | 1            | 0            | 2             | 0             |
| Other Provincial Statutes                          | 1,261        | 1,179        | 1,050         | 1,162         | 1,482         | 1,044        | 1,030        | 892          | 827          | 707          | 988           | 939           |
| <b>TOTAL PROVINCIAL STATUTES - NOT TRAFFIC (7)</b> | <b>9,209</b> | <b>8,676</b> | <b>12,142</b> | <b>12,213</b> | <b>12,129</b> | <b>9,076</b> | <b>8,224</b> | <b>5,888</b> | <b>5,187</b> | <b>6,127</b> | <b>14,852</b> | <b>13,038</b> |
| <b>MUNICIPAL BYLAW OFFENCES</b>                    |              |              |               |               |               |              |              |              |              |              |               |               |
| <b>TOTAL MUNICIPAL BYLAW - NOT TRAFFIC</b>         | <b>698</b>   | <b>463</b>   | <b>387</b>    | <b>481</b>    | <b>548</b>    | <b>1,004</b> | <b>519</b>   | <b>443</b>   | <b>708</b>   | <b>766</b>   | <b>609</b>    | <b>523</b>    |

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## TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED

| SUMMARY                      | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| CRIMINAL CODE - PROPERTY (8) | 26,399 | 30,617 | 26,309 | 31,871 | 35,561 | 35,927 | 36,829 | 34,715 | 34,678 | 34,491 | 32,880 | 32,349 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - PERSON (9)   | 6,081  | 6,317  | 6,432  | 7,498  | 7,416  | 7,042  | 7,366  | 8,410  | 9,407  | 10,707 | 11,080 | 12,276 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - OTHER (10)   | 13,138 | 13,246 | 13,248 | 15,187 | 15,198 | 13,230 | 12,543 | 10,985 | 10,278 | 12,062 | 12,180 | 12,494 |
| CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL (11)   | 45,618 | 50,180 | 45,989 | 54,556 | 58,175 | 56,199 | 56,738 | 54,111 | 54,363 | 57,260 | 56,140 | 57,119 |
| FEDERAL DRUGS (12)           | 9,416  | 8,176  | 7,176  | 8,629  | 9,193  | 7,652  | 8,118  | 7,354  | 7,231  | 7,401  | 8,590  | 8,156  |
| MUNICIPAL BYLAWS             | 698    | 463    | 387    | 481    | 548    | 1,004  | 519    | 443    | 708    | 766    | 609    | 523    |
| OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES (16)  | 2,088  | 2,102  | 894    | 955    | 908    | 718    | 957    | 803    | 703    | 767    | 745    | 861    |
| PROVINCIAL STATUTES (7,13)   | 9,209  | 8,676  | 12,142 | 12,213 | 12,129 | 9,076  | 8,224  | 5,888  | 5,187  | 6,127  | 14,852 | 13,038 |
| GRAND TOTAL (14,17)          | 67,029 | 69,597 | 66,588 | 76,834 | 80,953 | 74,649 | 74,556 | 68,599 | 68,192 | 72,321 | 80,936 | 79,697 |

## FOOTNOTES

(1) Prior to January 1983, Sex Offence categories consisted of: Rape, Indecent Assault - Female, Indecent Assault Male and Other Sex Offences; in January 1983, these categories were replaced by: Sex Assault - Level 1, Sex Assault with Weapon - Level 2, Aggravated Sex Assault - Level 3, and Total Other Sex Offences.

(2) Prior to January 1983, Assault Offence categories consisted of: Wounding, Bodily Harm, Police, Other Peace - Public Officer and Other Assaults; in January 1983 these categories were replaced by: Assault - Level 1, Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm - Level 2, Aggravated Assault - Level 3, Unlawful Bodily Harm, Shoot With Intent, Assault Police, Assault Other Officers, and Other Assault.

(3) UCR Abduction Offence categories came into effect January 1983.

(4) Theft Offences are the sum of the UCR offence categories referred to as "Theft Over" and "Theft Less Than". The figures shown here represent the total of Bicycle Theft Over \$1000 and Bicycle Theft Less Than \$1000; Theft from Motor Vehicle Over \$1000 and Theft from Motor Vehicle Less Than \$1000; Shoplifting Over \$1000 and Shoplifting Less Than \$1000; Other Theft Over \$1000 and Other Theft Less Than \$1000; and Total Theft Over \$1000 and Total Theft Less Than \$1000. It should be noted that these offence categories were changed, in January 1986, from "...Over \$200" and "...Less Than \$200" to "...Over \$1000" and "...Less Than \$1000".

(5) Mischief and Property Damage is the sum of two UCR offence categories: Mischief and Property Damage Over \$1000 and Mischief and Property Damage Less Than \$1000; prior to January 1986, these offence categories were: Wilful Damage - Private and Wilful Damage - Public.

(6) On April 2, 1984 the Juvenile Delinquent Act was repealed. The Young Offenders Act (YOA), which describes completely new procedures for dealing with young offenders and re-defines the ages of young offenders, came into effect on the same day. The procedural aspects of the Young Offenders Act were proclaimed on April 2, 1984; however, the age provisions were not proclaimed until April 1985. A juvenile is now defined as under 18 years and over 11 years of age. In British Columbia, prior to April 1985, a juvenile was defined as under 17 years and over 6 years of age.

(7) In December 1986, the Province proclaimed amendments to the Offence and Motor Vehicle Acts which introduced new summary ticketing procedures for a wide variety of Provincial Statute offences. For example, a new Ticket Information replaced Traffic Ticket Information under the Motor Vehicle Act, Wildlife Tickets under the Wildlife Act and Litter Tickets under the Litter Act. In addition, this new ticket information could be issued for a number of other Provincial Acts (i.e. Liquor Act), for which tickets could not previously be used. In 1987, the ability to issue tickets for additional offences under Provincial Statutes, in particular the Liquor Act, resulted in a substantial increase in number of offences and persons charged data, as well as a corresponding increase in the rate per 1000 population.

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- (8) Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft, fraud, and possession of stolen property.
- (9) Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery and abduction.
- (10) Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage.
- (11) Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person and Other offences.
- (12) Federal Drug offences include possession, trafficking, importation, and cultivation of drugs under the Narcotics Control Act, and possession and trafficking of controlled or restricted drugs under the Food and Drug Act.
- (13) Provincial Statutes include all provincial statute offences (i.e. Liquor Act and Securities Act).
- (14) The Grand Total includes all of the foregoing offence categories, as well as Other Federal Statute offences (such as Customs and Excise), and Municipal Bylaw infractions. It should be noted that Criminal Code - Traffic offences and Provincial Statute - Traffic offences are not represented here.
- (15) On January 1, 1986, Bill C-49 came into effect. This legislation created the new offence of "communicating for the purposes of prostitution in a public place". As a result, number of Other Prostitution offences and persons charged data increased substantially, particularly in the City of Vancouver; the rate per 1000 population increased correspondingly.
- (16) From 1985 to 1987 the City of Vancouver incorrectly scored "Breach of Probation Order" offences under the Young Offenders Act. These offences, which were scored to Other Criminal Code (Other CC), should have been reported in the Other Federal Statutes category. As a result, data scored against Other Federal Statutes for this period is under-reported by approximately 100 offences per year, while data for Other CC is correspondingly inflated; persons charged data and rate per 1000 population are similarly affected.
- (17) In 1985, with the age provisions of the YOA proclaimed (FK(6)), the definition of a juvenile changed to include individuals 17 years of age; prior to 1985, these individuals were considered adults. Consequently the total number of juveniles charged in 1985 increased while the total number of adults charged decreased. Furthermore, as a result of new Provincial Statute ticketing procedures introduced in December 1986 (FK(7)), both the number of adults and juveniles charged increased from 1987 onward.

## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting Survey (UCR). Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious offence will be scored and reflect persons charged data.
2. Charged is defined as the police having filed a Report to Crown Counsel alleging an offence; it does not necessarily imply the swearing of an information, prosecution or conviction. Crown Counsel may return the case to police due to insufficient evidence, take no further action, or, in the case of young offenders, issue a letter of caution, or approve alternative measures.

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting Survey (UCR)

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BRITISH COLUMBIA: TRAFFIC STATISTICS, NUMBER OF OFFENCES, 1977 TO 1988.

| Offcode | CRIMINAL CODE - TRAFFIC                                    | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|---------|------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 108     | Traffic Enforcement (T.E.) Criminal Negligence - Death (1) | 72     | 48     | 49     | 56     | 56     | 40     | 33     | 32     | 32     | -      | -      | -      |
| 109     | T.E. Criminal Negligence - Bodily Harm (1)                 | 18     | 16     | 10     | 31     | 28     | 31     | 39     | 26     | 30     | -      | -      | -      |
| 110     | T.E. Criminal Negligence - MV Operation (1)                | 107    | 75     | 121    | 103    | 115    | 112    | 89     | 80     | 42     | -      | -      | -      |
| 111     | T.E. Fail to Stop (1)                                      | 10,056 | 10,630 | 11,557 | 11,990 | 12,356 | 12,126 | 10,029 | 10,416 | 10,352 | -      | -      | -      |
| 113     | T.E. Dangerous Driving (1)                                 | 1,074  | 894    | 903    | 988    | 1,157  | 944    | 769    | 563    | 520    | -      | -      | -      |
| 115     | T.E. Fail to Blow (1)(2)                                   | 2,389  | 2,276  | 2,593  | 3,478  | 3,822  | 3,400  | 3,265  | 2,759  | 2,638  | -      | -      | -      |
| 116     | T.E. DWI or 80+ (1)(2)                                     | 23,181 | 21,796 | 21,264 | 23,022 | 25,355 | 25,412 | 22,540 | 19,777 | 18,700 | -      | -      | -      |
| 117     | T.E. No Drivers Licence (1)(5)                             | 3,690  | 5,089  | 4,014  | 3,846  | 632    | 193    | 28     | 17     | 9      | -      | -      | -      |
| 701     | Dangerous Operation (D.O.) of MV - Causing Death           | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 48     | 46     | 48     |
| 702     | D.O. of Boat/Vessel/Aircraft - Causing Death               | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 7      | 11     | 8      |
| 703     | D.O. of MV - Causing Bodily Harm                           | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 55     | 60     | 79     |
| 704     | D.O. of Boat/Vessel/Aircraft - Causing Bodily Harm         | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 8      | 7      | 8      |
| 705     | D.O. of Motor Vehicle                                      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 549    | 541    | 623    |
| 706     | D.O. of Boat/Vessel/Aircraft                               | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 89     | 90     | 56     |
| 707     | Impaired Operation (I.O.) of MV - Causing Death (2)        | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 33     | 25     | 27     |
| 708     | I.O. of Boat/Vessel/Aircraft - Causing Death (2)           | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 6      | 5      | 2      |
| 709     | I.O. of MV - Causing Bodily Harm (2)                       | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 176    | 141    | 122    |
| 710     | I.O. of Boat/Vessel/Aircraft - Caus. Bod. Harm (2)         | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 8      | 9      | 4      |
| 711     | I.O. of MV or Over 80 mg. (2)                              | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 15,339 | 14,636 | 14,450 |
| 712     | I.O. of Boat/Vessel/Aircraft or Over 80 mg. (2)            | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 45     | 33     | 34     |
| 713     | Fail or Refuse to Provide Breath Sample (2)                | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 2,290  | 2,294  | 2,288  |
| 714     | Fail or Refuse to Provide Blood Sample (2)                 | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 69     | 96     | 88     |
| 715     | Fail to Stop or Remain                                     | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 13,882 | 12,672 | 13,857 |
| 716     | Driving MV While Prohibited (5)                            | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | )      | 303    | 629    | 748    |
| 910     | TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE - TRAFFIC                              | 40,587 | 40,824 | 40,511 | 43,514 | 43,521 | 42,258 | 36,772 | 33,670 | 32,323 | 32,907 | 31,295 | 32,442 |

- Due to legislative changes, these new offence categories were created January 1, 1986.

| SUMMARY OF SELECTED CRIMINAL CODE - TRAFFIC OFFENCE CATEGORIES | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Dangerous Driving (1)                                    | 1,271  | 1,033  | 1,083  | 1,178  | 1,356  | 1,127  | 910    | 701    | 624    | 756    | 755    | 822    |
| Total Impaired Driving (1,2)                                   | 23,181 | 21,796 | 21,264 | 23,022 | 25,355 | 25,412 | 22,540 | 19,777 | 18,700 | 15,607 | 14,849 | 14,639 |
| Total Fail/Refuse to Provide Breath/Blood Sample (1,2)         | 2,389  | 2,276  | 2,593  | 3,478  | 3,822  | 3,400  | 3,265  | 2,759  | 2,638  | 2,359  | 2,390  | 2,376  |

| Offcode | PROVINCIAL STATUTES - TRAFFIC                            | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 717     | Fail to Stop or Remain (1)                               | 9,372  | 11,098 | 14,560 | 20,108 | 21,893 | 22,358 | 20,848 | 20,888 | 22,324 | 22,979 | 26,255 | 27,030 |
| 718     | Dang. Driv. or W.O. Due Care/Attention (1)               | 13,841 | 14,192 | 14,302 | 15,278 | 15,430 | 11,891 | 12,624 | 11,864 | 11,056 | 10,253 | 8,978  | 5,372  |
| 719     | Driv. While Disqual./Licence Suspended (1,5)             | 289    | 274    | 405    | 347    | 814    | 2,491  | 2,804  | 2,891  | 1,801  | 1,905  | 1,899  | 2,041  |
| 911     | TOTAL OF PROVINCIAL STATUTE TRAFFIC - OFFCODES 717 - 719 | 23,502 | 25,564 | 29,267 | 35,733 | 38,137 | 36,740 | 36,276 | 35,643 | 35,181 | 35,137 | 37,132 | 34,443 |



| Offcode                                        | OTHER TRAFFIC OFFENCES - NOT PARKING (3) |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                                | 1977                                     | 1978    | 1979    | 1980    | 1981    | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    |
| 720 O.T. - Federal Statutes (1)                | 457                                      | 323     | 224     | 152     | 489     | 838     | 782     | 402     | 403     | 291     | 496     | 786     |
| 721 O.T. - Provincial Statutes Excl. 911 (1,4) | 469,361                                  | 519,580 | 557,062 | 655,622 | 691,856 | 770,668 | 835,019 | 829,295 | 728,305 | 761,957 | 815,870 | 882,001 |
| 722 O.T. - Municipal Bylaws (1)                | 7,856                                    | 10,311  | 14,619  | 17,395  | 12,547  | 23,759  | 23,772  | 22,074  | 28,452  | 36,226  | 32,288  | 31,448  |
| TOTAL OF OTHER TRAFFIC OFFENCES                | 477,674                                  | 530,214 | 571,905 | 673,169 | 704,892 | 795,265 | 859,573 | 851,771 | 757,160 | 798,474 | 848,654 | 914,235 |

#### FOOTNOTES AND DATA QUALIFIERS

- (1) Bill C-18 came into effect January 1, 1986, thereby creating new Criminal Code Traffic enforcement (I.E.) categories. As a result, UCR Criminal Code offence categories 108 to 117 were replaced by new UCR offence categories 701 to 716. Although unaffected by federal legislation, Provincial Statute - Traffic and Other Traffic - Federal, Provincial and Municipal Bylaw - Not Parking offence categories were renumbered, from 112, 114, 118, 119, 120, 121 to 717 - 722 respectively.
- (2) In British Columbia if a person is charged with impaired operation and fail or refuse to provide breath or blood sample, both offences will be scored and cleared by charge, but only the most serious offence of impaired operation will reflect persons charged data.
- (3) The UCR most serious offence rule does not apply when scoring offences under Offcodes 720, 721, and 722. If there is a variety of offences in one incident then all offences will be scored. As an example, 4 offences would be scored in an incident containing the following violations: speeding, passing on the right, no vehicle registration, no emergency brake.
- (4) Other Provincial Statute Traffic offences, from 1977 to 1988, include "moving" offences for which Traffic Violation Reports (TVR's) were issued, and "non-moving" offences for which Ticket Informations (TI's) were issued. TVR offences under the Motor Vehicle Act included speeding, fail to stop at a stop sign, etc., and were usually penalized by the allocation of points against the offender's drivers licence. (In the case of out-of-province drivers a Ticket Information resulting in a fine would have been issued in lieu of a TVR.) TI offences under the Motor Vehicle Act included non-moving violations such as failure to produce driver's licence, no vehicle registration, and a variety of violations pertaining to the condition of the vehicle. Each TI and TVR could record a maximum of three offences.
- (5) In 1981 the Supreme Court of Canada declared the Criminal Code Traffic section dealing with "no drivers licence/driving while prohibited" unconstitutional. Subsequently these incidents were enforced as provincial statute offences. From 1981 onwards, the dramatic increase in the number of Provincial Statute Traffic - Driving While Disqualified offences, and the corresponding decrease in Criminal Code Traffic - Driving While Prohibited offences is explained by this Supreme Court ruling. It should be noted that since this decision did not repeal any sections of the law, Criminal Code Traffic - Driving While Prohibited offences may still be legitimately occurring, and thus reported to the UCR survey. However, for the most part, "driving while disqualified" is dealt with as a Provincial Statute offence.
- (6) There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by the Police Services Branch. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting Survey (UCR)

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BRITISH COLUMBIA: TRAFFIC ACCIDENT DATA, 1977 TO 1988.

| CATEGORY                                          | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Motor Vehicle Deaths                        | 718    | 636    | 742    | 807    | 862    | 605    | 615    | 525    | 483    | 599    | 622    | 614    |
| Number of Accidents Involving Fatalities          | 621    | 554    | 628    | 706    | 763    | 526    | 525    | 447    | 428    | 514    | 542    | 534    |
| Total Motor Vehicle Injuries                      | 31,822 | 33,060 | 37,979 | 41,328 | 44,147 | 33,829 | 31,835 | 32,378 | 34,372 | 40,378 | 41,255 | 44,151 |
| Number of Accidents Involving Injuries            | 22,305 | 22,931 | 26,121 | 28,559 | 30,689 | 23,735 | 22,561 | 22,993 | 24,727 | 28,624 | 29,194 | 30,928 |
| Number of Accidents Where Alcohol was Prime Cause | 3,395  | 3,355  | 3,693  | 4,173  | 4,709  | 3,528  | 3,156  | 2,694  | 2,443  | 2,789  | 2,844  | 2,805  |

DATA QUALIFIER

1. The traffic accident data shown above have been derived from Motor Vehicle Branch Form MV104 which is completed by police attending the scene of an accident.

SOURCE: Motor Vehicle Branch,  
Ministry of Solicitor General, Province of British Columbia

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
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**Report Nos.**

**10 - 15**

MUNICIPAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA: NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES (EXCLUDING TRAFFIC), 1977 TO 1988.

NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES

| PolCd | U N I T                   | 1977   | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
|-------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 702   | Abbotsford Mun            | 1,024  | 1,287  | 1,329  | 1,571  | 1,630  | 2,026  | 1,933  | 2,075  | 2,116  | 1,983  | 2,331  | 2,131  |
| 704   | Burnaby Mun               | 14,609 | 14,341 | 14,293 | 15,262 | 16,026 | 19,817 | 21,755 | 21,337 | 21,948 | 23,902 | 23,907 | 25,217 |
| 903   | Campbell River Mun        | 2,434  | 2,605  | 2,585  | 2,903  | 3,463  | 3,873  | 3,552  | 3,628  | 3,377  | 3,374  | 3,356  | 3,751  |
| 327   | Castlegar Mun             | 442    | 728    | 813    | 962    | 1,057  | 932    | 1,054  | 939    | 846    | 844    | 857    | 847    |
| 404   | Central Saanich Mun       | 547    | 794    | 1,011  | 852    | 5,598  | 911    | 861    | 902    | 922    | 913    | 978    | 965    |
| 707   | Chilliwack Dist Mun (1)   | 4,422  | 4,643  | 4,748  | 5,205  | 5,598  | 6,048  | 5,791  | 5,398  | 5,404  | 6,065  | 6,375  | 6,075  |
| 904   | Comox Mun                 | 307    | 476    | 495    | 529    | 648    | 704    | 639    | 695    | 639    | 694    | 608    | 544    |
| 710   | Coquitlam Dist Mun        | 4,687  | 4,906  | 4,906  | 5,299  | 5,863  | 7,131  | 8,633  | 10,108 | 9,667  | 9,699  | 9,385  | 8,911  |
| 906   | Courtenay Mun             | 1,176  | 1,334  | 1,363  | 1,591  | 1,640  | 2,062  | 2,133  | 2,010  | 2,303  | 2,031  | 1,982  | 1,912  |
| 303   | Cranbrook Mun             | 1,781  | 1,944  | 2,046  | 2,342  | 2,512  | 2,819  | 2,295  | 2,186  | 2,267  | 2,395  | 2,643  | 2,665  |
| 504   | Dawson Creek Mun          | 1,691  | 1,951  | 2,211  | 2,641  | 2,687  | 2,984  | 3,062  | 2,510  | 2,060  | 1,848  | 2,037  | 1,764  |
| 407   | Delta Mun                 | 5,521  | 5,103  | 6,671  | 6,143  | 6,994  | 7,249  | 7,629  | 7,568  | 7,796  | 7,636  | 7,887  | 7,380  |
| 405   | Esquimalt Mun             | 1,176  | 1,894  | 2,051  | 1,508  | 1,673  | 2,217  | 1,825  | 2,201  | 1,856  | 2,465  | 2,307  | 2,070  |
| 508   | Ft St John Mun            | 1,526  | 2,126  | 2,261  | 2,785  | 2,910  | 2,648  | 2,853  | 2,769  | 2,754  | 2,687  | 3,068  | 2,592  |
| 210   | Kamloops City Mun         | 8,621  | 8,840  | 8,736  | 8,847  | 10,428 | 10,776 | 9,301  | 8,595  | 8,057  | 8,888  | 9,876  | 8,632  |
| 105   | Kelowna Mun               | 5,452  | 6,439  | 6,336  | 7,664  | 8,632  | 9,557  | 9,224  | 8,223  | 8,320  | 8,746  | 9,996  | 8,373  |
| 314   | Kimberley Mun             | 597    | 571    | 530    | 629    | 654    | 843    | 751    | 606    | 495    | 712    | 550    | 495    |
| 607   | Kitimat Mun               | 1,397  | 1,546  | 1,632  | 1,655  | 1,977  | 1,553  | 1,244  | 1,126  | 1,368  | 1,076  | 1,229  | 960    |
| 716   | Langley City Mun          | 1,863  | 2,517  | 2,722  | 2,565  | 2,608  | 4,597  | 3,230  | 3,348  | 3,467  | 3,593  | 3,862  | 3,677  |
| 717   | Langley Twp Mun           | 2,244  | 2,859  | 3,169  | 3,462  | 3,499  | 3,008  | 4,788  | 5,364  | 5,377  | 5,028  | 5,385  | 5,805  |
| 522   | Mackenzie Mun             | 302    | 623    | 810    | 729    | 770    | 727    | 813    | 786    | 769    | 782    | 676    | 477    |
| 713   | Maple Ridge Mun           | 3,909  | 3,810  | 3,899  | 4,257  | 4,181  | 4,459  | 4,892  | 5,282  | 5,552  | 5,205  | 5,202  | 4,901  |
| 408   | Matsqui Mun               | 3,266  | 3,320  | 3,185  | 3,800  | 4,566  | 4,605  | 4,254  | 4,905  | 5,083  | 4,942  | 5,381  | 5,627  |
| 215   | Merritt Mun               | 1,130  | 870    | 1,016  | 1,000  | 1,022  | 1,022  | 1,133  | 932    | 1,060  | 978    | 1,100  | 1,024  |
| 719   | Mission Mun               | 1,525  | 1,811  | 1,809  | 2,251  | 2,772  | 2,976  | 2,686  | 2,977  | 2,911  | 3,295  | 3,228  | 3,505  |
| 810   | Nanaimo Mun               | 4,854  | 5,682  | 6,342  | 6,613  | 8,267  | 8,316  | 7,933  | 7,381  | 8,365  | 9,420  | 9,925  | 10,248 |
| 411   | Nelson City Mun           | 1,101  | 1,059  | 1,049  | 967    | 1,318  | 1,188  | 1,594  | 1,238  | 1,156  | 1,254  | 1,334  | 1,330  |
| 409   | New Westminster Mun       | 5,179  | 5,142  | 5,560  | 7,147  | 6,414  | 7,612  | 8,106  | 9,211  | 8,836  | 9,176  | 8,687  | 8,953  |
| 801   | N. Cowichan Mun (2)       | 1,499  | 1,418  | 1,467  | 1,416  | 1,725  | 2,131  | 1,753  | 1,896  | 1,723  | 2,000  | 2,070  | 2,052  |
| 720   | N. Vancouver City Mun     | 3,977  | 3,912  | 3,924  | 4,251  | 5,099  | 5,170  | 5,063  | 4,931  | 5,030  | 5,506  | 5,130  | 5,931  |
| 721   | N. Vancouver Dist Mun (4) | 4,777  | 4,915  | 4,899  | 4,939  | 5,752  | 5,527  | 5,818  | 5,499  | 6,064  | 6,506  | 6,587  | 7,029  |
| 406   | Oak Bay Mun               | 1,118  | 1,164  | 1,269  | 977    | 976    | 1,016  | 1,106  | 1,402  | 1,276  | 1,129  | 1,030  | 963    |
| 112   | Penticton Mun             | 3,799  | 3,561  | 3,072  | 3,085  | 4,084  | 4,301  | 4,156  | 3,716  | 3,555  | 3,636  | 4,107  | 4,303  |
| 910   | Port Alberni Mun          | 2,192  | 2,302  | 2,567  | 2,687  | 3,070  | 3,662  | 3,131  | 3,428  | 3,333  | 3,539  | 3,375  | 3,463  |
| 412   | Port Moody Mun            | 1,257  | 1,456  | 1,722  | 1,615  | 1,504  | 1,675  | 1,705  | 1,678  | 1,666  | 1,814  | 1,673  | 1,737  |
| 915   | Powell River Mun          | 1,523  | 1,254  | 1,385  | 1,598  | 1,556  | 1,543  | 1,547  | 1,484  | 1,572  | 1,452  | 1,504  | 1,478  |
| 521   | Prince George City Mun    | 9,528  | 10,014 | 10,483 | 10,658 | 11,046 | 11,008 | 11,009 | 11,179 | 11,898 | 11,994 | 11,552 | 12,171 |
| 611   | Prince Rupert City Mun    | 2,200  | 2,671  | 2,964  | 3,565  | 4,116  | 3,864  | 3,579  | 3,390  | 3,222  | 3,309  | 3,106  | 2,949  |
| 711   | Pt Coquitlam Mun          | 2,809  | 2,795  | 2,312  | 2,999  | 3,075  | 3,161  | 4,042  | 4,311  | 4,091  | 4,019  | 3,782  | 3,284  |
| 515   | Quesnel Mun               | 1,385  | 1,140  | 1,203  | 1,361  | 1,884  | 1,757  | 1,596  | 1,505  | 1,496  | 1,684  | 1,799  | 1,745  |
| 722   | Richmond Mun              | 9,119  | 9,783  | 9,900  | 9,837  | 10,087 | 11,385 | 10,610 | 10,707 | 10,498 | 11,402 | 13,002 | 12,971 |
| 403   | Saanich Mun               | 6,469  | 6,064  | 5,326  | 5,356  | 4,931  | 5,628  | 6,573  | 7,087  | 7,341  | 7,032  | 6,245  | 7,034  |
| 116   | Salmon Arm Mun            | 955    | 1,255  | 1,440  | 1,477  | 1,482  | 1,692  | 1,376  | 1,298  | 1,164  | 1,252  | 1,212  | 1,399  |
| 814   | Sidney Mun                | 509    | 790    | 632    | 750    | 798    | 944    | 820    | 1,102  | 981    | 1,191  | 1,159  | 1,027  |
| 725   | Squamish Mun              | 1,150  | 1,089  | 1,159  | 1,157  | 1,356  | 1,495  | 1,405  | 1,233  | 1,213  | 1,317  | 1,561  | 1,641  |
| 121   | Sumnerland Mun            | 370    | 422    | 413    | 424    | 527    | 444    | 381    | 457    | 500    | 535    | 547    | 491    |
| 726   | Surrey Mun (3)            | 14,616 | 14,735 | 15,963 | 17,689 | 18,944 | 21,202 | 22,089 | 24,528 | 24,304 | 26,997 | 26,531 | 28,327 |
| 617   | Terrace Mun               | 1,651  | 1,719  | 1,765  | 1,996  | 2,505  | 2,273  | 2,464  | 2,159  | 2,368  | 2,430  | 2,323  | 2,604  |



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## NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES

| Polcd           | U M I T             | 1977    | 1978    | 1979    | 1980    | 1981    | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 324             | Trail Mun           | 858     | 814     | 944     | 1,041   | 1,112   | 1,135   | 1,175   | 1,054   | 1,135   | 1,183   | 1,072   | 1,088   |
| 401             | Vancouver City Mun  | 50,241  | 52,401  | 51,707  | 57,842  | 61,664  | 69,555  | 69,755  | 69,500  | 68,691  | 77,252  | 76,370  | 77,701  |
| 119             | Vernon Mun          | 2,867   | 2,876   | 3,276   | 3,820   | 4,434   | 4,673   | 4,322   | 4,222   | 4,046   | 4,143   | 4,578   | 4,012   |
| 402             | Victoria City Mun   | 10,373  | 11,777  | 10,626  | 10,482  | 11,854  | 13,403  | 14,282  | 14,655  | 14,114  | 14,468  | 13,762  | 12,971  |
| 410             | West Vancouver Mun  | 2,874   | 3,253   | 3,014   | 3,165   | 3,143   | 3,867   | 3,550   | 3,893   | 3,062   | 3,415   | 3,294   | 3,228   |
| 729             | White Rock City Mun | 1,080   | 1,292   | 1,404   | 1,535   | 1,634   | 1,751   | 1,475   | 1,746   | 1,925   | 1,824   | 1,901   | 2,190   |
| 221             | Williams Lake Mun   | 1,178   | 1,632   | 1,675   | 2,194   | 2,247   | 2,441   | 2,488   | 2,444   | 2,893   | 2,924   | 2,540   | 2,643   |
| MUNICIPAL TOTAL |                     | 223,157 | 235,316 | 240,089 | 259,095 | 281,272 | 309,163 | 311,234 | 314,984 | 313,932 | 333,670 | 335,964 | 337,543 |

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) Polcd 707 Chilliwack Mun includes Polcd 708 Chilliwack Twp Mun; amalgamated 1980.  
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 (4) From 1977 to 1986, Polcd 721 North Vancouver District Mun includes Polcd 742 Bowen Island Prov.

## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences where a single incident with multiple victims is scored as only one offence, police score one offence for every victim of a violent crime (i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences).
2. Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code Property, Person and Other Offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break & enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include violent crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non sexual assaults, robbery and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage. Criminal Code - Traffic offences are not represented in Criminal Code - Total.
3. There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

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COMPARISON OF ALL MUNICIPAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA: CRIME RATE (NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES EXCLUDING TRAFFIC PER THOUSAND POPULATION), 1977 TO 1988.

| Police | U N I T                   | C R I M E R A T E |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|---------------------------|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        |                           | 1977              | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
| 221    | Williams Lake Mun         | 182               | 226  | 221  | 271  | 269  | 252  | 239  | 235  | 283  | 284  | 246  | 254  |
| 617    | Terrace Mun               | 165               | 174  | 175  | 189  | 230  | 204  | 225  | 198  | 221  | 231  | 218  | 244  |
| 409    | New Westminster Mun       | 138               | 137  | 148  | 187  | 166  | 199  | 214  | 242  | 220  | 230  | 217  | 218  |
| 515    | Quesnel Mun               | 179               | 146  | 153  | 166  | 229  | 202  | 186  | 175  | 174  | 201  | 219  | 216  |
| 716    | Langley City Mun          | 158               | 190  | 194  | 172  | 172  | 284  | 207  | 221  | 210  | 217  | 228  | 215  |
| 903    | Campbell River Mun        | 195               | 199  | 183  | 197  | 216  | 233  | 214  | 216  | 198  | 196  | 191  | 205  |
| 508    | Ft St John Mun            | 170               | 223  | 216  | 240  | 209  | 188  | 202  | 200  | 206  | 201  | 235  | 203  |
| 810    | Nanaimo Mun               | 120               | 142  | 161  | 164  | 175  | 169  | 162  | 150  | 170  | 191  | 200  | 200  |
| 906    | Courtenay Mun             | 146               | 163  | 164  | 188  | 182  | 217  | 224  | 208  | 239  | 211  | 205  | 198  |
| 910    | Port Alberni Mun          | 113               | 117  | 133  | 138  | 154  | 186  | 162  | 180  | 178  | 194  | 186  | 194  |
| 402    | Victoria City Mun         | 166               | 183  | 165  | 162  | 184  | 209  | 220  | 224  | 214  | 218  | 205  | 193  |
| 119    | Vernon Mun                | 161               | 154  | 169  | 196  | 222  | 229  | 213  | 205  | 197  | 205  | 224  | 193  |
| 611    | Prince Rupert City Mun    | 149               | 179  | 195  | 227  | 254  | 236  | 217  | 205  | 199  | 210  | 196  | 185  |
| 521    | Prince George City Mun    | 149               | 154  | 158  | 160  | 164  | 160  | 161  | 163  | 174  | 177  | 173  | 185  |
| 303    | Cranbrook Mun             | 127               | 133  | 134  | 150  | 158  | 173  | 141  | 133  | 140  | 151  | 171  | 176  |
| 401    | Vancouver City Mun        | 124               | 129  | 127  | 140  | 148  | 166  | 166  | 164  | 160  | 179  | 175  | 175  |
| 504    | Dawson Creek Mun          | 163               | 193  | 215  | 236  | 236  | 262  | 272  | 228  | 190  | 175  | 192  | 174  |
| 112    | Penticton Mun             | 178               | 167  | 143  | 140  | 174  | 180  | 172  | 152  | 150  | 153  | 167  | 172  |
| 704    | Burnaby Mun               | 111               | 109  | 106  | 112  | 117  | 144  | 156  | 150  | 153  | 165  | 164  | 169  |
| 725    | Squamish Mun              | 125               | 115  | 121  | 117  | 129  | 140  | 135  | 118  | 118  | 126  | 147  | 169  |
| 215    | Merritt Mun               | 191               | 144  | 168  | 168  | 167  | 168  | 186  | 155  | 176  | 158  | 179  | 168  |
| 411    | Nelson City Mun           | 118               | 114  | 116  | 105  | 144  | 130  | 172  | 141  | 138  | 155  | 165  | 164  |
| 720    | N. Vancouver City Mun     | 123               | 120  | 118  | 126  | 149  | 150  | 146  | 140  | 143  | 155  | 141  | 158  |
| 719    | Mission Mun               | 92                | 104  | 100  | 119  | 138  | 147  | 132  | 142  | 136  | 150  | 143  | 148  |
| 729    | White Rock City Mun       | 86                | 99   | 106  | 113  | 121  | 129  | 108  | 126  | 135  | 127  | 129  | 146  |
| 324    | Trail Mun                 | 87                | 84   | 99   | 108  | 116  | 123  | 135  | 124  | 136  | 149  | 139  | 142  |
| 726    | Surrey Mun (3)            | 121               | 117  | 122  | 126  | 128  | 137  | 137  | 145  | 139  | 148  | 138  | 141  |
| 210    | Kamloops City Mun         | 145               | 147  | 145  | 142  | 163  | 167  | 146  | 136  | 129  | 144  | 160  | 139  |
| 327    | Castlegar Mun             | 69                | 112  | 124  | 143  | 153  | 136  | 155  | 141  | 130  | 132  | 136  | 136  |
| 707    | Chilliwack Dist Mun (1)   | 117               | 121  | 124  | 133  | 135  | 145  | 139  | 129  | 129  | 144  | 148  | 135  |
| 702    | Abbotsford Mun            | 103               | 125  | 125  | 136  | 127  | 151  | 143  | 148  | 148  | 135  | 153  | 133  |
| 105    | Kelowna Mun               | 104               | 122  | 117  | 135  | 145  | 159  | 152  | 134  | 136  | 141  | 157  | 128  |
| 405    | Esquimelt Mun             | 75                | 122  | 129  | 94   | 105  | 139  | 114  | 138  | 116  | 154  | 142  | 126  |
| 116    | Salmon Arm Mun            | 100               | 128  | 144  | 146  | 136  | 148  | 119  | 112  | 101  | 110  | 109  | 124  |
| 915    | Powell River Mun          | 114               | 95   | 105  | 121  | 116  | 115  | 118  | 114  | 123  | 117  | 124  | 121  |
| 710    | Coquitlam Dist Mun        | 85                | 81   | 87   | 90   | 96   | 116  | 135  | 152  | 142  | 140  | 131  | 118  |
| 713    | Maple Ridge Mun           | 130               | 125  | 125  | 134  | 129  | 137  | 149  | 157  | 161  | 144  | 134  | 118  |
| 722    | Richmond Mun              | 111               | 114  | 112  | 105  | 105  | 116  | 105  | 104  | 99   | 105  | 117  | 113  |
| 814    | Sidney Mun                | 77                | 121  | 95   | 101  | 100  | 116  | 97   | 126  | 111  | 133  | 128  | 110  |
| 412    | Port Moody Mun            | 108               | 118  | 128  | 114  | 101  | 112  | 114  | 108  | 108  | 115  | 105  | 108  |
| 801    | N. Cowichan Mun (2)       | 96                | 87   | 88   | 82   | 94   | 113  | 93   | 99   | 91   | 106  | 109  | 106  |
| 711    | Pt Coquitlam Mun          | 113               | 111  | 89   | 111  | 112  | 114  | 143  | 150  | 142  | 138  | 126  | 105  |
| 717    | Langley Twp Mun           | 59                | 72   | 78   | 82   | 78   | 65   | 100  | 107  | 104  | 93   | 96   | 100  |
| 408    | Matsqui Mun               | 100               | 94   | 86   | 97   | 109  | 102  | 90   | 100  | 101  | 96   | 100  | 100  |
| 721    | N. Vancouver Dist Mun (4) | 75                | 77   | 76   | 75   | 86   | 83   | 87   | 81   | 88   | 93   | 94   | 99   |

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## CRIME RATE

| Polcd                | U N I T             | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
|----------------------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 407                  | Delta Mun           | 84   | 76   | 96   | 84   | 94   | 95   | 99   | 97   | 99   | 96   | 98   | 90   |
| 607                  | Kitimat Mun         | 120  | 129  | 136  | 135  | 154  | 119  | 99   | 93   | 116  | 96   | 111  | 90   |
| 522                  | Hackenzie Mun       | 56   | 115  | 142  | 126  | 131  | 123  | 138  | 137  | 137  | 141  | 126  | 90   |
| 410                  | West Vancouver Mun  | 82   | 93   | 86   | 89   | 85   | 105  | 95   | 104  | 81   | 90   | 86   | 83   |
| 403                  | Saanich Mun         | 87   | 82   | 71   | 69   | 63   | 71   | 83   | 87   | 90   | 85   | 73   | 81   |
| 314                  | Kimberley Mun       | 85   | 82   | 76   | 88   | 89   | 114  | 104  | 85   | 71   | 106  | 87   | 80   |
| 404                  | Central Saanich Mun | 73   | 94   | 113  | 91   | 87   | 88   | 80   | 82   | 82   | 80   | 83   | 79   |
| 904                  | Comox Mun           | 54   | 81   | 80   | 83   | 98   | 106  | 97   | 104  | 96   | 101  | 87   | 73   |
| 121                  | Sumnerland Mun      | 55   | 64   | 61   | 60   | 71   | 58   | 50   | 59   | 65   | 69   | 68   | 59   |
| 406                  | Oak Bay Mun         | 64   | 68   | 74   | 57   | 57   | 60   | 65   | 84   | 76   | 66   | 60   | 55   |
| MUNICIPAL TOTAL RATE |                     | 116  | 121  | 121  | 127  | 134  | 145  | 144  | 144  | 142  | 149  | 148  | 145  |

## FOOTNOTES

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## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. It should be pointed out that many of the RCMP municipal jurisdictions are surrounded by unincorporated areas which have substantial residential populations. As a result the crime rates would be lower for the combined municipal and provincial detachment areas than for the municipal jurisdictions by themselves.
2. Crime rate is defined as the number of Criminal Code offences (Excluding Traffic) per 1000 population.
3. The Municipal Total Rate shown on the last line of the above table is generated from the Municipal Policing Jurisdictions Total and does not represent the average of the rates for each individual jurisdiction.
4. The crime rate is based on the number of crimes that occur within municipal boundaries and on the resident population. In other words, crimes which occur within a given jurisdiction are scored against that reporting location. However, the crime rate is based on a population which excludes tourists, commuters, or "part-time" residents such as students or cottage/chalet owners. For example, crime rates for municipalities do not take into account the "core city phenomenon" in which a number of people spend some part of the day in the city for either business or pleasure purposes, i.e. tourists and commuters.
5. Crime Rates are only one of the many factors used to determine the strength and organization of a police force. A number of other factors, such as populations, case burdens, size and accessibility of the area to be policed and traffic volume, are also taken into consideration.
6. There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA MUNICIPAL POLICE FORCES:** POLICE CODE, MUNICIPALITY, POPULATION, AUTHORIZED POLICE STRENGTH, TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES, CRIME RATE (TOTAL CCC PER 1000 POPULATION), AND CRIMINAL CODE CASE BURDEN (TOTAL CCC PER POLICE) FOR 1988.

**RCMP MUNICIPAL FORCES**

| Polcd                  | Unit                      | Population | Auth Strgth | Total CCC Offences | Crime Rate | Criminal Code Case Burden |
|------------------------|---------------------------|------------|-------------|--------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| 906                    | Courtenay Mun             | 9,647      | 14          | 1,912              | 198        | 137                       |
| 112                    | Penticton Mun (1)         | 25,047     | 32          | 4,303              | 172        | 134                       |
| 221                    | Williams Lake Mun         | 10,415     | 20          | 2,643              | 254        | 132                       |
| 810                    | Nanaimo Mun (1)           | 51,145     | 79          | 10,248             | 200        | 130                       |
| 119                    | Vernon Mun                | 20,786     | 32          | 4,012              | 193        | 125                       |
| 725                    | Squamish Mun (1)          | 10,916     | 15          | 1,841              | 169        | 123                       |
| 903                    | Campbell River Mun (1)    | 18,273     | 31          | 3,751              | 205        | 121                       |
| 910                    | Port Alberni Mun          | 17,888     | 29          | 3,463              | 194        | 119                       |
| 617                    | Terrace Mun               | 10,663     | 22          | 2,604              | 244        | 118                       |
| 704                    | Burnaby Mun               | 149,178    | 215         | 25,217             | 169        | 117                       |
| 116                    | Salmon Arm Mun (1)        | 11,270     | 12          | 1,399              | 124        | 117                       |
| 716                    | Langley City Mun          | 17,127     | 32          | 3,677              | 215        | 115                       |
| 726                    | Surrey Dist Mun (2)       | 201,078    | 248         | 28,327             | 141        | 114                       |
| 215                    | Merritt Mun               | 6,091      | 9           | 1,024              | 168        | 114                       |
| 303                    | Cranbrook Mun             | 15,175     | 24          | 2,665              | 176        | 111                       |
| 521                    | Prince George City Mun    | 65,779     | 110         | 12,171             | 185        | 111                       |
| 105                    | Kelowna Mun (1)           | 65,199     | 76          | 8,373              | 128        | 110                       |
| 515                    | Quesnel Mun               | 8,069      | 16          | 1,745              | 216        | 109                       |
| 707                    | Chilliwack Mun (1)        | 44,901     | 56          | 6,075              | 135        | 108                       |
| 720                    | N. Vancouver City Mun (1) | 37,503     | 55          | 5,931              | 158        | 108                       |
| 719                    | Mission Mun               | 23,605     | 33          | 3,505              | 148        | 106                       |
| 710                    | Coquitlam Mun (1)         | 75,237     | 84          | 8,911              | 118        | 106                       |
| 717                    | Langley Township Mun (1)  | 58,773     | 56          | 5,885              | 100        | 105                       |
| 729                    | White Rock City Mun       | 14,971     | 21          | 2,190              | 146        | 104                       |
| 508                    | Ft St John Mun            | 12,743     | 25          | 2,592              | 203        | 104                       |
| 801                    | North Cowichan Mun (3)    | 19,356     | 20          | 2,052              | 106        | 103                       |
| 721                    | N. Vancouver Dist Mun (1) | 71,227     | 73          | 7,029              | 99         | 96                        |
| 713                    | Maple Ridge Mun (1)       | 41,674     | 51          | 4,901              | 118        | 96                        |
| 210                    | Kamloops City Mun         | 61,967     | 91          | 8,632              | 139        | 95                        |
| 814                    | Sidney Mun                | 9,325      | 11          | 1,027              | 110        | 93                        |
| 722                    | Richmond Mun              | 114,710    | 139         | 12,971             | 113        | 93                        |
| 611                    | Pr Rupert City Mun        | 15,909     | 33          | 2,949              | 185        | 89                        |
| 504                    | Dawson Creek Mun          | 10,144     | 20          | 1,764              | 174        | 88                        |
| 702                    | Abbotsford Mun (1)        | 15,991     | 25          | 2,131              | 133        | 85                        |
| 327                    | Castlegar Mun             | 6,217      | 10          | 847                | 136        | 85                        |
| 121                    | Summerland Mun            | 8,315      | 6           | 491                | 59         | 82                        |
| 711                    | Pt Coquitlam Mun (1)      | 31,311     | 41          | 3,284              | 105        | 80                        |
| 915                    | Powell River Mun          | 12,177     | 19          | 1,478              | 121        | 78                        |
| 904                    | Comox Mun                 | 7,403      | 7           | 544                | 73         | 78                        |
| 324                    | Trail Mun                 | 7,641      | 15          | 1,088              | 142        | 73                        |
| 314                    | Kimberley Mun             | 6,181      | 8           | 495                | 80         | 62                        |
| 607                    | Kitimat Mun               | 10,683     | 16          | 960                | 90         | 60                        |
| 522                    | Mackenzie Mun             | 5,312      | 8           | 477                | 90         | 60                        |
| RCMP MUNICIPAL - TOTAL |                           | 1,437,022  | 1,939       | 207,584            | 144        | 107                       |

**FOOTNOTES**

(1) Population figure includes municipal and Indian Reserve populations.

(2) Polcd 726 Surrey District Mun includes Polcd 739 Surrey Prov which has a strength of 1 member.

(3) Polcd 801 North Cowichan Mun includes two detachments (801 N. Cowichan - Chemainus and 804 N. Cowichan - Duncan) which both police the Municipality of North Cowichan. Respectively each has an authorized strength of 8 and 12.

## INDEPENDENT MUNICIPAL FORCES

| Polcd                         | Unit                   | Population | Auth Strgth | Total CCC Offences | Crime Rate | Criminal Code Case Burden |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------|-------------|--------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| 409                           | New Westminster Mun    | 41,091     | 99          | 8,953              | 218        | 90                        |
| 411                           | Nelson City Mun        | 8,134      | 15          | 1,330              | 164        | 89                        |
| 402                           | Victoria City Mun      | 67,157     | 157         | 12,971             | 193        | 83                        |
| 405                           | Esquimalt Mun          | 16,480     | 26          | 2,070              | 126        | 80                        |
| 408                           | Matsqui Mun (1)        | 56,255     | 72          | 5,627              | 100        | 78                        |
| 401                           | Vancouver City Mun (1) | 444,330    | 998         | 77,701             | 175        | 78                        |
| 412                           | Port Moody Mun         | 16,043     | 25          | 1,737              | 108        | 69                        |
| 407                           | Delta Mun (1)          | 81,830     | 120         | 7,380              | 90         | 62                        |
| 403                           | Saanich Mun            | 87,026     | 116         | 7,034              | 81         | 61                        |
| 404                           | Central Saanich Mun    | 12,176     | 16          | 965                | 79         | 60                        |
| 410                           | West Vancouver Mun (1) | 39,066     | 69          | 3,228              | 83         | 47                        |
| 406                           | Oak Bay Mun            | 17,597     | 23          | 963                | 55         | 42                        |
| INDEPENDENT MUNICIPAL - TOTAL |                        | 887,185    | 1,736       | 129,959            | 146        | 75                        |

## FOOTNOTE

(1) Population figure includes municipal and Indian Reserve populations.

## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. Population figures for 1988 are estimates based on the 1986 Canada Census results. It should be noted that population figures reflect the "resident" or "late night" population of an area rather than the number of people who spend some part of the day in the area either for business or pleasure purposes, i.e. commuters or tourists. Furthermore, populations do not take into account "resident non-residents", i.e. cottage/chalet owners, or students residing at universities or colleges, whose permanent residence is in another jurisdiction.
2. Authorized police strength and Criminal Code case burden (Total CCC per Police) are based on the authorized police strength as of December 31, 1988. The authorized strength of the RCMP is obtained from the EO-5 Report dated December 31, 1988.
3. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious offence is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences, police score one offence for every victim of a violent crime, i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences.
4. Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person and Other offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include violent crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non sexual assaults, robbery and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons, as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage. Criminal Code Traffic offences are not included in Criminal Code - Total.
5. Crime rate is defined as the number of Criminal Code offences (Excluding Traffic) per 1000 population.
6. The crime rate is based on the number of crimes that occur within municipal boundaries and on the resident population. In other words, crimes which occur within a given jurisdiction are scored against that reporting location. However, the crime rate is based on a population which excludes tourists, commuters, or "part time" residents such as students or cottage/chalet owners. For example, crime rates for municipalities do not take into account the "core city phenomenon" in which a number of people spend some part of the day in the city for either business or pleasure purposes, i.e. tourists and commuters.
7. It should be pointed out that many of the RCMP municipal jurisdictions are surrounded by unincorporated areas which have substantial residential populations. As a result the crime rates would be lower for the combined municipal and provincial detachment areas than for the municipal jurisdictions by themselves.
8. Criminal Code Case Burden is defined as the number of Criminal Code offences (Excluding Traffic) per police.

DATA QUALIFIERS Cont'd

9. It should be noted that comparisons between the case burdens of independent municipal forces and RCMP municipal forces may be erroneous due to the difference in the organization structures of the RCMP and an independent municipal force. The RCMP municipal forces may have a relatively lower sworn strength because of the administrative support provided by "E" Division Headquarters.
10. Populations, crime rates and case burdens are only three of the many factors used to determine the strength and organization of a police force. A number of other factors, such as size and accessibility of the area to be policed and traffic volume, are also taken into consideration.
11. Summary data and statistics for RCMP Municipal Forces and Independent Forces are shown as the last line of each Table. The case burden, and crime rate are generated from the totals, and do not represent the average of the rates for each individual jurisdiction.
12. There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

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## BRITISH COLUMBIA MUNICIPAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS: BREAK &amp; ENTER - TOTAL, NUMBER OF OFFENCES, 1977 TO 1988.

|                 |                              | NUMBER OF OFFENCES |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Polcd           | Unit                         | 1977               | 1978   | 1979   | 1980   | 1981   | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
| 702             | Abbotsford Mun               | 135                | 156    | 179    | 239    | 218    | 307    | 295    | 371    | 412    | 276    | 302    | 319    |
| 704             | Burnaby Mun                  | 1,842              | 2,005  | 1,888  | 2,137  | 2,665  | 3,262  | 3,657  | 3,321  | 3,687  | 4,027  | 4,638  | 4,160  |
| 903             | Campbell River Mun           | 269                | 269    | 239    | 304    | 408    | 329    | 367    | 315    | 337    | 402    | 331    | 418    |
| 327             | Castlegar Mun                | 50                 | 86     | 80     | 78     | 141    | 87     | 142    | 131    | 94     | 70     | 102    | 85     |
| 404             | Central Saanich Mun          | 77                 | 51     | 130    | 106    | 104    | 79     | 93     | 88     | 123    | 111    | 118    | 106    |
| 707             | Chilliwack Dist Mun (1)      | 574                | 617    | 531    | 746    | 814    | 739    | 869    | 778    | 690    | 897    | 885    | 870    |
| 904             | Comox Mun                    | 50                 | 67     | 54     | 65     | 147    | 101    | 80     | 77     | 90     | 89     | 72     | 68     |
| 710             | Coquitlam Dist Mun           | 772                | 787    | 715    | 737    | 927    | 1,079  | 1,517  | 1,626  | 1,618  | 1,714  | 1,774  | 1,316  |
| 906             | Courtenay Mun                | 133                | 110    | 149    | 205    | 213    | 306    | 332    | 246    | 346    | 255    | 219    | 222    |
| 303             | Cranbrook Mun                | 180                | 195    | 189    | 319    | 314    | 367    | 237    | 268    | 236    | 248    | 182    | 190    |
| 504             | Dawson Creek Mun             | 218                | 199    | 197    | 255    | 378    | 404    | 348    | 336    | 319    | 236    | 345    | 229    |
| 407             | Delta Mun                    | 662                | 653    | 900    | 779    | 936    | 1,031  | 1,118  | 1,185  | 1,212  | 1,222  | 1,218  | 1,000  |
| 405             | Esquimalt Mun                | 258                | 316    | 291    | 181    | 299    | 287    | 255    | 285    | 207    | 309    | 210    | 203    |
| 508             | Ft St John Mun               | 158                | 246    | 350    | 381    | 382    | 295    | 377    | 369    | 309    | 286    | 333    | 282    |
| 210             | Kamloops City Mun            | 995                | 896    | 927    | 936    | 1,156  | 995    | 1,188  | 1,104  | 1,115  | 1,331  | 1,340  | 1,008  |
| 105             | Kelowna Mun                  | 870                | 999    | 925    | 1,034  | 1,071  | 1,146  | 1,124  | 1,012  | 1,131  | 1,051  | 1,292  | 979    |
| 314             | Kimberley Mun                | 47                 | 52     | 69     | 64     | 48     | 63     | 49     | 67     | 44     | 70     | 60     | 32     |
| 607             | Kitimat Mun                  | 142                | 139    | 182    | 167    | 207    | 176    | 123    | 140    | 129    | 117    | 130    | 79     |
| 716             | Langley City Mun             | 346                | 310    | 349    | 326    | 358    | 794    | 460    | 590    | 543    | 576    | 635    | 521    |
| 717             | Langley Tnsh (Dist) Mun      | 480                | 559    | 522    | 505    | 575    | 484    | 867    | 932    | 962    | 914    | 1,025  | 993    |
| 522             | Mackenzie Mun                | 23                 | 63     | 51     | 59     | 66     | 82     | 70     | 139    | 97     | 77     | 59     | 34     |
| 713             | Maple Ridge Mun              | 529                | 566    | 691    | 568    | 579    | 627    | 847    | 842    | 696    | 726    | 951    | 649    |
| 408             | Matsqui Mun                  | 266                | 252    | 415    | 483    | 514    | 642    | 717    | 999    | 970    | 819    | 810    | 931    |
| 215             | Merritt Mun                  | 132                | 51     | 91     | 101    | 112    | 123    | 124    | 94     | 131    | 127    | 100    | 115    |
| 719             | Mission Mun                  | 213                | 303    | 259    | 292    | 333    | 375    | 356    | 498    | 467    | 504    | 509    | 588    |
| 810             | Nanaimo Mun                  | 942                | 1,026  | 875    | 1,003  | 1,302  | 1,190  | 1,364  | 1,185  | 1,295  | 1,598  | 1,435  | 1,285  |
| 411             | Nelson City Mun              | 102                | 130    | 140    | 97     | 106    | 141    | 270    | 164    | 108    | 125    | 124    | 128    |
| 409             | New Westminster Mun          | 961                | 854    | 842    | 1,057  | 905    | 1,245  | 1,340  | 1,581  | 1,443  | 1,524  | 1,459  | 1,344  |
| 801             | North Cowichan Mun (2)       | 168                | 171    | 148    | 143    | 210    | 197    | 249    | 304    | 282    | 358    | 359    | 309    |
| 720             | North Vancouver City Mun     | 580                | 610    | 499    | 643    | 793    | 707    | 817    | 655    | 656    | 722    | 772    | 912    |
| 721             | North Vancouver Dist Mun (4) | 750                | 868    | 763    | 878    | 1,007  | 882    | 1,006  | 917    | 1,013  | 1,033  | 1,329  | 1,261  |
| 406             | Oak Bay Mun                  | 102                | 148    | 132    | 86     | 115    | 102    | 162    | 132    | 193    | 156    | 154    | 122    |
| 112             | Penticton Mun                | 298                | 406    | 427    | 351    | 504    | 467    | 335    | 473    | 501    | 590    | 459    | 467    |
| 910             | Port Alberni Mun             | 274                | 309    | 267    | 237    | 346    | 411    | 399    | 449    | 456    | 623    | 444    | 418    |
| 711             | Port Coquitlam Mun           | 447                | 424    | 294    | 408    | 455    | 496    | 575    | 635    | 701    | 623    | 602    | 485    |
| 412             | Port Moody Mun               | 159                | 182    | 205    | 239    | 223    | 232    | 299    | 305    | 368    | 286    | 284    | 235    |
| 915             | Powell River Mun             | 170                | 177    | 262    | 222    | 268    | 213    | 164    | 202    | 174    | 197    | 186    | 183    |
| 521             | Prince George City Mun       | 1,186              | 1,252  | 1,415  | 1,495  | 1,621  | 1,816  | 1,866  | 1,725  | 1,626  | 1,842  | 1,558  | 1,547  |
| 611             | Prince Rupert City Mun       | 475                | 392    | 404    | 553    | 667    | 443    | 378    | 269    | 283    | 292    | 283    | 299    |
| 515             | Quesnel Mun                  | 179                | 103    | 123    | 161    | 197    | 165    | 152    | 134    | 109    | 176    | 157    | 169    |
| 722             | Richmond Mun                 | 1,392              | 1,321  | 1,242  | 1,280  | 1,276  | 1,422  | 1,292  | 1,550  | 1,290  | 1,236  | 1,665  | 1,650  |
| 403             | Saanich Mun                  | 832                | 923    | 731    | 736    | 738    | 861    | 1,083  | 949    | 1,092  | 903    | 823    | 756    |
| 116             | Salmon Arm Mun               | 157                | 141    | 272    | 211    | 205    | 270    | 165    | 216    | 175    | 173    | 173    | 156    |
| 814             | Sidney Mun                   | 40                 | 88     | 66     | 55     | 97     | 130    | 96     | 179    | 121    | 147    | 110    | 89     |
| 725             | Squamish Mun                 | 145                | 159    | 134    | 140    | 157    | 173    | 166    | 140    | 139    | 161    | 180    | 226    |
| 121             | Summerland Mun               | 45                 | 60     | 43     | 40     | 59     | 51     | 32     | 50     | 70     | 56     | 54     | 68     |
| 726             | Surrey Dist Mun (3)          | 2,781              | 2,736  | 2,391  | 2,789  | 3,158  | 4,072  | 4,329  | 5,419  | 5,172  | 5,897  | 5,332  | 4,886  |
| 617             | Terrace Mun                  | 249                | 243    | 180    | 229    | 288    | 224    | 230    | 191    | 217    | 219    | 170    | 223    |
| 324             | Trail Mun                    | 81                 | 75     | 65     | 56     | 138    | 131    | 154    | 127    | 101    | 92     | 107    | 75     |
| 401             | Vancouver City Mun           | 9,231              | 10,649 | 9,376  | 10,987 | 12,586 | 13,307 | 13,443 | 12,594 | 11,582 | 13,369 | 13,471 | 12,441 |
| 119             | Vernon Mun                   | 419                | 348    | 395    | 611    | 557    | 504    | 442    | 605    | 617    | 548    | 607    | 397    |
| 402             | Victoria City Mun            | 1,833              | 2,197  | 1,896  | 1,712  | 1,930  | 2,087  | 2,134  | 2,188  | 2,278  | 2,045  | 1,836  | 1,736  |
| 410             | West Vancouver Mun           | 330                | 484    | 463    | 534    | 493    | 518    | 480    | 700    | 534    | 703    | 531    | 527    |
| 729             | White Rock City Mun          | 147                | 182    | 141    | 244    | 253    | 236    | 247    | 293    | 280    | 298    | 232    | 216    |
| 221             | Williams Lake Mun            | 104                | 150    | 159    | 218    | 242    | 246    | 285    | 319    | 430    | 455    | 298    | 256    |
| MUNICIPAL TOTAL |                              | 34,000             | 36,755 | 34,723 | 38,482 | 43,861 | 47,119 | 49,566 | 50,463 | 49,271 | 52,901 | 52,834 | 48,263 |

## FOOTNOTES

(1) Polcd 707 Chilliwack Mun includes Polcd 708 Chilliwack Twp Mun; amalgamated 1980.

(2) Polcd 801 North Cowichan Mun includes Polcd 801 N. Cwn Mun-Chemainus and Polcd 804 N. Cwn Mun-Duncan.

(3) Polcd 726 Surrey Mun includes Polcd 739 Surrey Prov.

(4) From 1977 to 1986, Polcd 721 North Vancouver Dist Mun included Polcd 742 Bowen Island Prov.

DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious offence is recorded for UCR purposes.
2. Total Break and Enter includes 3 UCR offence categories: Break and Enter-Residence; Break and Enter-Business Premises; and Break and Enter-Other. Break and Enter-Business Premises includes offences where a business premise (i.e. warehouse, store, shop, etc) is broken into. Break and Enter-Residence includes offences involving homes, summer cottages, mobile homes, etc. Break and Enter-Other includes all other break and enter offences, i.e. trains, box-cars, "piggy-backs" and unattached trailers, etc.
3. There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

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BRITISH COLUMBIA MUNICIPAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS: RATE PER 1000 POPULATION FOR BREAK AND  
ENTER - TOTAL, 1977 TO 1988.

|                      |                              | RATE PER 1000 POPULATION |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Polcd                | Unit                         | 1977                     | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
| 409                  | New Westminster Mun          | 26                       | 23   | 22   | 28   | 23   | 33   | 35   | 41   | 36   | 38   | 37   | 33   |
| 716                  | Langley City Mun             | 29                       | 23   | 25   | 22   | 24   | 51   | 29   | 37   | 33   | 35   | 38   | 30   |
| 401                  | Vancouver City Mun           | 23                       | 26   | 23   | 27   | 30   | 32   | 32   | 30   | 27   | 31   | 31   | 28   |
| 704                  | Burnaby Mun                  | 14                       | 15   | 14   | 16   | 20   | 24   | 26   | 23   | 26   | 28   | 32   | 28   |
| 402                  | Victoria City Mun            | 29                       | 34   | 29   | 26   | 30   | 33   | 33   | 33   | 35   | 31   | 27   | 26   |
| 810                  | Nanaimo Mun                  | 23                       | 26   | 22   | 25   | 28   | 24   | 28   | 24   | 26   | 32   | 29   | 25   |
| 719                  | Mission Mun                  | 13                       | 17   | 14   | 15   | 17   | 19   | 17   | 24   | 22   | 23   | 23   | 25   |
| 221                  | Williams Lake Mun            | 16                       | 21   | 21   | 27   | 29   | 25   | 27   | 31   | 42   | 44   | 29   | 25   |
| 720                  | North Vancouver City Mun     | 18                       | 19   | 15   | 19   | 23   | 21   | 24   | 19   | 19   | 20   | 21   | 24   |
| 726                  | Surrey Dist Mun (3)          | 23                       | 22   | 18   | 20   | 21   | 26   | 27   | 32   | 30   | 32   | 28   | 24   |
| 521                  | Prince George City Mun       | 19                       | 19   | 21   | 22   | 24   | 26   | 27   | 25   | 24   | 27   | 23   | 24   |
| 910                  | Port Alberni Mun             | 14                       | 16   | 14   | 12   | 17   | 21   | 21   | 24   | 24   | 34   | 24   | 23   |
| 906                  | Courtenay Mun                | 17                       | 13   | 18   | 24   | 24   | 32   | 35   | 25   | 36   | 26   | 23   | 23   |
| 903                  | Campbell River Mun           | 22                       | 21   | 17   | 21   | 25   | 20   | 22   | 19   | 20   | 23   | 19   | 23   |
| 504                  | Dawson Creek Mun             | 21                       | 20   | 19   | 23   | 33   | 35   | 31   | 31   | 29   | 22   | 33   | 23   |
| 508                  | Fort St. John Mun            | 18                       | 26   | 33   | 33   | 27   | 21   | 27   | 27   | 23   | 21   | 25   | 22   |
| 515                  | Quesnel Mun                  | 23                       | 13   | 16   | 20   | 24   | 19   | 18   | 16   | 13   | 21   | 19   | 21   |
| 617                  | Terrace Mun                  | 25                       | 25   | 18   | 22   | 26   | 20   | 21   | 17   | 20   | 21   | 16   | 21   |
| 725                  | Squamish Mun                 | 16                       | 17   | 14   | 14   | 15   | 16   | 16   | 13   | 14   | 15   | 17   | 21   |
| 702                  | Abbotsford Mun               | 14                       | 15   | 17   | 21   | 17   | 23   | 22   | 26   | 29   | 19   | 20   | 20   |
| 707                  | Chilliwack Dist Mun (1)      | 15                       | 16   | 14   | 19   | 20   | 18   | 21   | 19   | 17   | 21   | 20   | 19   |
| 119                  | Vernon Mun                   | 24                       | 19   | 20   | 31   | 28   | 25   | 22   | 29   | 30   | 27   | 30   | 19   |
| 215                  | Merritt Mun                  | 22                       | 8    | 15   | 17   | 18   | 20   | 20   | 16   | 22   | 21   | 16   | 19   |
| 611                  | Prince Rupert City Mun       | 32                       | 26   | 27   | 35   | 41   | 27   | 23   | 16   | 18   | 19   | 18   | 19   |
| 112                  | Penticton Mun                | 14                       | 19   | 20   | 16   | 22   | 20   | 14   | 19   | 21   | 25   | 19   | 19   |
| 721                  | North Vancouver Dist Mun (4) | 12                       | 14   | 12   | 13   | 10   | 9    | 10   | 9    | 10   | 10   | 19   | 18   |
| 710                  | Coquitlam Dist Mun           | 14                       | 14   | 13   | 12   | 15   | 18   | 24   | 24   | 24   | 25   | 25   | 17   |
| 717                  | Langley Tnshp (Dist) Mun     | 13                       | 14   | 13   | 12   | 13   | 11   | 18   | 19   | 19   | 17   | 18   | 17   |
| 408                  | Matsqui Mun                  | 8                        | 7    | 11   | 12   | 12   | 14   | 15   | 20   | 19   | 16   | 15   | 17   |
| 210                  | Kamloops City Mun            | 17                       | 15   | 15   | 15   | 18   | 15   | 19   | 17   | 18   | 22   | 22   | 16   |
| 801                  | North Cowichan Mun (2)       | 11                       | 10   | 9    | 8    | 11   | 10   | 13   | 16   | 15   | 19   | 19   | 16   |
| 411                  | Nelson City Mun              | 11                       | 14   | 16   | 11   | 12   | 15   | 29   | 19   | 13   | 15   | 15   | 16   |
| 713                  | Maple Ridge Mun              | 18                       | 19   | 22   | 18   | 18   | 19   | 26   | 25   | 20   | 20   | 25   | 16   |
| 711                  | Port Coquitlam Mun           | 18                       | 17   | 11   | 15   | 17   | 18   | 20   | 22   | 24   | 21   | 20   | 15   |
| 915                  | Powell River Mun             | 13                       | 13   | 20   | 17   | 20   | 16   | 13   | 16   | 14   | 16   | 15   | 15   |
| 105                  | Kelowna Mun                  | 17                       | 19   | 17   | 18   | 18   | 19   | 19   | 17   | 18   | 17   | 20   | 15   |
| 412                  | Port Moody Mun               | 14                       | 15   | 15   | 17   | 15   | 15   | 20   | 20   | 24   | 18   | 18   | 15   |
| 729                  | White Rock City Mun          | 12                       | 14   | 11   | 18   | 19   | 17   | 18   | 21   | 20   | 21   | 16   | 14   |
| 722                  | Richmond Mun                 | 17                       | 15   | 14   | 14   | 13   | 14   | 13   | 15   | 12   | 11   | 15   | 14   |
| 116                  | Salmon Arm Mun               | 16                       | 14   | 27   | 21   | 19   | 24   | 14   | 19   | 15   | 15   | 16   | 14   |
| 327                  | Castlegar Mun                | 8                        | 13   | 12   | 12   | 20   | 13   | 21   | 20   | 14   | 11   | 16   | 14   |
| 410                  | West Vancouver Mun           | 9                        | 14   | 13   | 15   | 13   | 14   | 13   | 19   | 14   | 19   | 14   | 13   |
| 303                  | Cranbrook Mun                | 13                       | 13   | 12   | 20   | 20   | 22   | 15   | 16   | 15   | 16   | 12   | 13   |
| 405                  | Esquimalt Mun                | 17                       | 20   | 18   | 11   | 19   | 18   | 16   | 18   | 13   | 19   | 13   | 12   |
| 407                  | Delta Mun                    | 10                       | 10   | 13   | 11   | 13   | 14   | 14   | 15   | 15   | 15   | 15   | 12   |
| 324                  | Trail Mun                    | 8                        | 8    | 7    | 6    | 14   | 14   | 18   | 15   | 12   | 12   | 14   | 10   |
| 814                  | Sidney Mun                   | 6                        | 13   | 10   | 7    | 12   | 16   | 11   | 20   | 14   | 16   | 12   | 10   |
| 904                  | Comox Mun                    | 9                        | 11   | 9    | 10   | 22   | 15   | 12   | 12   | 13   | 13   | 10   | 9    |
| 404                  | Central Saanich Mun          | 10                       | 6    | 14   | 11   | 11   | 8    | 9    | 8    | 11   | 10   | 10   | 9    |
| 403                  | Saanich Mun                  | 11                       | 12   | 10   | 10   | 9    | 11   | 14   | 12   | 13   | 11   | 10   | 9    |
| 121                  | Summerland Mun               | 7                        | 9    | 6    | 6    | 8    | 7    | 4    | 6    | 9    | 7    | 7    | 8    |
| 607                  | Kitimat Mun                  | 12                       | 12   | 15   | 14   | 16   | 13   | 10   | 12   | 11   | 10   | 12   | 7    |
| 406                  | Oak Bay Mun                  | 6                        | 9    | 8    | 5    | 7    | 6    | 10   | 8    | 11   | 9    | 9    | 7    |
| 522                  | Mackenzie Mun                | 4                        | 12   | 9    | 10   | 11   | 14   | 12   | 24   | 17   | 14   | 11   | 6    |
| 314                  | Kimberley Mun                | 7                        | 7    | 10   | 9    | 7    | 8    | 7    | 9    | 6    | 10   | 10   | 5    |
| MUNICIPAL TOTAL RATE |                              | 18                       | 19   | 17   | 19   | 21   | 22   | 23   | 23   | 22   | 24   | 23   | 21   |

## FOOTNOTES

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DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The incidence of break and enter crimes is based on the number of offences that occur within the municipal boundaries and on the resident population. In other words, break and enters which occur within a given jurisdiction are scored against that reporting location, but the break and enter offence rate, or rate per 1000 population, is based on a population which excludes tourists, commuters, or "part time" residents such as students or cottage/chalet owners.
2. It should be noted that many RCMP municipal jurisdictions are surrounded by unincorporated areas which have substantial residential populations. As a result, the break and enter offence rate would be lower for the combined municipal and unincorporated areas than for the municipal jurisdictions by themselves.
3. The Municipal Total Rate, shown on the last line of the above table, is generated from summary data and statistics; it does not represent the average of the rates for each individual jurisdiction.
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## MUNICIPAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA: POPULATIONS, 1977 TO 1988.

## POPULATIONS

| Policed | U N I T                    | 1977    | 1978    | 1979    | 1980    | 1981    | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    |
|---------|----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 702     | Abbotsford Mun (4)         | 9,896   | 10,313  | 10,598  | 11,573  | 12,864  | 13,375  | 13,473  | 14,003  | 14,263  | 14,645  | 15,211  | 15,991  |
| 704     | Burnaby Mun                | 131,088 | 131,046 | 134,431 | 135,759 | 136,494 | 137,363 | 139,196 | 142,020 | 143,685 | 145,161 | 146,217 | 149,178 |
| 903     | Campbell River Mun (4)     | 12,479  | 13,086  | 14,096  | 14,704  | 16,023  | 16,609  | 16,566  | 16,762  | 17,036  | 17,216  | 17,589  | 18,273  |
| 327     | Castlegar Mun              | 6,416   | 6,475   | 6,555   | 6,749   | 6,902   | 6,844   | 6,792   | 6,648   | 6,512   | 6,345   | 6,293   | 6,217   |
| 404     | Central Saanich Mun        | 7,523   | 8,473   | 8,983   | 9,396   | 9,890   | 10,295  | 10,751  | 10,959  | 11,304  | 11,475  | 11,790  | 12,176  |
| 707     | Chilliwack Mun (1,4)       | 37,721  | 38,497  | 38,137  | 39,277  | 41,471  | 41,747  | 41,727  | 41,854  | 41,761  | 42,176  | 43,186  | 44,901  |
| 904     | Comox Mun                  | 5,735   | 5,902   | 6,163   | 6,365   | 6,607   | 6,633   | 6,601   | 6,657   | 6,671   | 6,873   | 7,012   | 7,403   |
| 710     | Cookitlam Dist Mun (4)     | 55,380  | 55,777  | 56,220  | 59,007  | 61,077  | 61,346  | 63,747  | 66,682  | 68,040  | 69,291  | 71,552  | 75,237  |
| 906     | Courtenay Mun              | 8,043   | 8,165   | 8,306   | 8,445   | 8,992   | 9,497   | 9,540   | 9,658   | 9,637   | 9,631   | 9,659   | 9,647   |
| 303     | Cranbrook Mun              | 13,978  | 14,606  | 15,308  | 15,609  | 15,915  | 16,324  | 16,309  | 16,395  | 16,181  | 15,893  | 15,423  | 15,175  |
| 504     | Dawson Creek Mun           | 10,364  | 10,112  | 10,265  | 11,208  | 11,373  | 11,408  | 11,257  | 10,996  | 10,821  | 10,544  | 10,599  | 10,144  |
| 407     | Delta Mun (4)              | 65,539  | 67,158  | 69,827  | 72,835  | 74,771  | 76,116  | 77,375  | 77,950  | 78,756  | 79,789  | 80,447  | 81,830  |
| 405     | Esquimalt Mun              | 15,607  | 15,540  | 15,883  | 15,971  | 15,870  | 15,949  | 15,983  | 15,987  | 15,950  | 15,972  | 16,272  | 16,480  |
| 508     | Ft St John Mun             | 8,969   | 9,526   | 10,462  | 11,627  | 13,891  | 14,078  | 14,112  | 13,714  | 13,361  | 13,355  | 13,072  | 12,743  |
| 210     | Kamloops City Mun          | 59,523  | 60,118  | 60,118  | 62,466  | 64,048  | 64,374  | 63,721  | 63,402  | 62,500  | 61,773  | 61,877  | 61,967  |
| 105     | Kelowna Mun (4)            | 52,414  | 52,939  | 53,974  | 56,746  | 59,469  | 60,010  | 60,708  | 61,308  | 61,147  | 61,932  | 63,699  | 65,199  |
| 314     | Kimberley Mun              | 7,063   | 6,958   | 6,993   | 7,170   | 7,375   | 7,418   | 7,189   | 7,095   | 6,966   | 6,732   | 6,303   | 6,181   |
| 607     | Kitimat Mun                | 11,622  | 11,981  | 12,001  | 12,260  | 12,814  | 13,081  | 12,538  | 12,071  | 11,791  | 11,196  | 11,037  | 10,683  |
| 716     | Langley City Mun           | 11,790  | 13,256  | 14,042  | 14,893  | 15,124  | 15,465  | 15,623  | 16,045  | 16,511  | 16,557  | 16,931  | 17,127  |
| 717     | Langley Township Mun (4)   | 38,139  | 39,741  | 40,765  | 42,356  | 44,680  | 46,045  | 47,780  | 50,148  | 51,923  | 53,900  | 56,160  | 58,773  |
| 522     | Mackenzie Mun              | 5,381   | 5,397   | 5,723   | 5,769   | 5,890   | 5,910   | 5,899   | 5,747   | 5,612   | 5,542   | 5,365   | 5,312   |
| 713     | Hopple Ridge Mun (4)       | 29,993  | 30,367  | 31,130  | 31,729  | 32,339  | 32,628  | 32,936  | 33,552  | 34,487  | 36,116  | 38,758  | 41,674  |
| 408     | Matsqui Mun (4)            | 32,658  | 35,151  | 36,863  | 39,353  | 42,038  | 44,933  | 47,124  | 48,824  | 50,225  | 51,479  | 53,571  | 56,255  |
| 215     | Nerritt Mun                | 5,906   | 6,052   | 6,050   | 5,965   | 6,110   | 6,094   | 6,104   | 6,006   | 6,023   | 6,180   | 6,161   | 6,091   |
| 719     | Mission Mun                | 16,624  | 17,361  | 18,059  | 18,948  | 20,056  | 20,233  | 20,419  | 21,011  | 21,455  | 21,985  | 22,591  | 23,605  |
| 720     | N Vancouver City Mun (4)   | 32,212  | 32,549  | 33,236  | 33,810  | 34,272  | 34,448  | 34,751  | 35,133  | 35,243  | 35,959  | 36,324  | 37,503  |
| 721     | N Vancouver Dist Mun (4,5) | 63,750  | 63,699  | 64,405  | 65,494  | 66,782  | 66,969  | 66,869  | 67,542  | 68,847  | 70,001  | 69,795  | 71,227  |
| 810     | Nanaimo Mun (4)            | 40,369  | 40,088  | 39,388  | 40,225  | 47,334  | 49,072  | 48,863  | 49,334  | 49,170  | 49,284  | 49,679  | 51,145  |
| 411     | Nelson City Mun            | 9,336   | 9,318   | 9,010   | 9,222   | 9,143   | 9,124   | 9,252   | 8,801   | 8,377   | 8,113   | 8,072   | 8,134   |
| 409     | New Westminster Mun        | 37,572  | 37,459  | 37,556  | 38,194  | 38,550  | 38,186  | 37,805  | 38,140  | 40,179  | 39,972  | 39,966  | 41,091  |
| 801     | N. Cowichan Mun (2)        | 15,658  | 16,347  | 16,638  | 17,170  | 18,405  | 18,886  | 18,807  | 19,081  | 18,923  | 18,854  | 19,029  | 19,356  |
| 406     | Oak Bay Mun                | 17,337  | 17,189  | 17,113  | 17,119  | 16,990  | 16,864  | 16,887  | 16,753  | 16,872  | 17,063  | 17,220  | 17,597  |
| 112     | Penticton Mun (4)          | 21,392  | 21,261  | 21,553  | 22,058  | 23,418  | 23,869  | 24,139  | 24,385  | 23,655  | 23,824  | 24,578  | 25,047  |
| 910     | Port Alberni Mun           | 19,473  | 19,601  | 19,351  | 19,540  | 19,892  | 19,717  | 19,358  | 19,033  | 18,700  | 18,241  | 18,150  | 17,888  |
| 412     | Port Moody Mun             | 11,650  | 12,362  | 13,423  | 14,148  | 14,917  | 15,005  | 14,957  | 15,532  | 15,463  | 15,754  | 15,895  | 16,043  |
| 915     | Powell River Mun           | 13,387  | 13,152  | 13,185  | 13,235  | 13,423  | 13,410  | 13,104  | 12,986  | 12,729  | 12,440  | 12,087  | 12,177  |
| 521     | Prince George City Mun     | 63,913  | 65,105  | 66,156  | 66,527  | 67,559  | 68,780  | 68,296  | 68,662  | 68,270  | 67,621  | 66,612  | 65,779  |
| 611     | Prince Rupert City Mun     | 14,762  | 14,940  | 15,202  | 15,717  | 16,197  | 16,404  | 16,522  | 16,536  | 16,155  | 15,755  | 15,812  | 15,909  |
| 711     | Pt Coquitlam Mun (4)       | 24,837  | 25,256  | 25,999  | 27,130  | 27,538  | 27,634  | 28,294  | 28,683  | 28,887  | 29,115  | 29,995  | 31,311  |
| 515     | Quesnel Mun                | 7,726   | 7,825   | 7,838   | 8,199   | 8,240   | 8,240   | 8,582   | 8,591   | 8,607   | 8,358   | 8,222   | 8,069   |
| 722     | Richmond Mun               | 82,401  | 86,134  | 88,673  | 93,595  | 96,154  | 98,353  | 100,758 | 103,417 | 106,332 | 108,492 | 111,597 | 114,710 |
| 403     | Saanich Mun                | 73,997  | 74,372  | 75,205  | 77,081  | 78,710  | 79,372  | 79,620  | 81,001  | 81,777  | 82,940  | 85,040  | 87,026  |
| 116     | Salmon Arm Mun (4)         | 9,585   | 9,788   | 10,020  | 10,117  | 10,902  | 11,405  | 11,553  | 11,550  | 11,492  | 11,333  | 11,110  | 11,270  |
| 814     | Sidney Mun                 | 6,573   | 6,544   | 6,677   | 7,456   | 8,120   | 8,120   | 8,424   | 8,769   | 8,868   | 8,982   | 9,046   | 9,325   |
| 725     | Squamish Mun (4)           | 9,184   | 9,464   | 9,552   | 9,878   | 10,496  | 10,664  | 10,425  | 10,473  | 10,291  | 10,419  | 10,584  | 10,916  |
| 121     | Surrey Mun (3)             | 6,689   | 6,623   | 6,805   | 7,069   | 7,473   | 7,642   | 7,672   | 7,712   | 7,722   | 7,755   | 8,020   | 8,315   |
| 726     | Surrey Mun (3)             | 120,476 | 125,877 | 131,102 | 139,853 | 147,462 | 154,033 | 161,361 | 169,612 | 174,959 | 181,820 | 191,876 | 201,078 |
| 617     | Terrace Mun                | 10,003  | 9,875   | 10,096  | 10,563  | 10,914  | 11,154  | 10,972  | 10,918  | 10,737  | 10,532  | 10,651  | 10,663  |

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| Polcd | U N I T                | 1977    | 1978    | 1979    | 1980    | 1981    | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    |
|-------|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 324   | Trail Mun              | 9,879   | 9,744   | 9,580   | 9,599   | 9,599   | 9,244   | 8,675   | 8,516   | 8,347   | 7,948   | 7,730   | 7,641   |
| 401   | Vancouver Mun (4)      | 405,107 | 405,643 | 408,423 | 414,078 | 415,549 | 418,783 | 420,059 | 424,282 | 429,234 | 432,385 | 437,053 | 444,330 |
| 119   | Vernon Mun             | 17,794  | 18,624  | 19,329  | 19,506  | 19,987  | 20,382  | 20,256  | 20,562  | 20,541  | 20,241  | 20,401  | 20,786  |
| 402   | Victoria City Mun      | 62,491  | 64,295  | 64,408  | 64,633  | 64,379  | 64,089  | 64,805  | 65,341  | 65,852  | 66,303  | 66,973  | 67,157  |
| 410   | West Vancouver Mun (4) | 35,049  | 34,942  | 35,168  | 35,620  | 36,867  | 36,930  | 37,210  | 37,494  | 37,824  | 37,997  | 38,323  | 39,066  |
| 729   | White Rock City Mun    | 12,586  | 13,058  | 13,209  | 13,607  | 13,550  | 13,538  | 13,674  | 13,870  | 14,273  | 14,387  | 14,767  | 14,971  |
| 221   | Williams Lake Mun      | 6,479   | 7,231   | 7,568   | 8,109   | 8,362   | 9,673   | 10,426  | 10,421  | 10,235  | 10,280  | 10,327  | 10,415  |

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|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 12 Independent Policing Units | 773,866   | 781,902   | 791,862   | 807,650   | 817,674   | 825,646   | 831,828   | 841,064   | 851,813   | 859,242   | 870,623   | 887,185   |
| 43 RCMP Policing Units        | 1,147,652 | 1,170,460 | 1,194,958 | 1,237,082 | 1,284,134 | 1,307,210 | 1,322,555 | 1,345,473 | 1,357,779 | 1,373,061 | 1,399,434 | 1,437,022 |
| All Municipal Policing Units  | 1,921,518 | 1,952,362 | 1,986,820 | 2,044,732 | 2,101,808 | 2,132,856 | 2,154,383 | 2,186,537 | 2,209,592 | 2,232,303 | 2,270,057 | 2,324,207 |
| BRITISH COLUMBIA              | 2,499,400 | 2,542,300 | 2,589,400 | 2,666,000 | 2,744,467 | 2,787,554 | 2,813,767 | 2,847,574 | 2,870,099 | 2,889,207 | 2,925,700 | 2,984,000 |

## F O O T N O T E S

- (1) Polcd 707 Chilliwack Mun includes Chilliwack Twpsh Mun; amalgamated 1980.
- (2) Polcd 801 North Cowichan Mun includes Polcd 801 N. Cun Mun-Chemainus and Polcd 804 N. Cun Mun-Duncan.
- (3) Polcd 726 Surrey Mun includes Polcd 739 Surrey Prov.
- (4) Population figures from 1986 onwards include municipal and Indian Reserve populations.
- (5) From 1977 to 1986, Polcd 721 North Vancouver District Municipal includes Polcd 742 Bowen Island Prov.

## D A T A Q U A L I T I E R S

1. It should be noted that population figures reflect the "resident" or "late night" population of an area, rather than the number of people who spend some part of the day in the area either for business or pleasure purposes. Furthermore, populations do not take into account "resident non-residents" i.e. cottage/chalet owners or students residing at universities or colleges whose permanent residence is in another jurisdiction.
2. Canada Census occurred in the years 1976, 1981 and 1986; population figures for 1981 and 1986 are based on the Census results of those years. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.
3. Populations are only one of the many factors used to determine the strength and organization of a police force. A number of other factors, such as crime rates, case burdens, size and accessibility of the area to be policed, and traffic volume, are also taken into consideration.
4. There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations

PREPARED BY: Police Services, Ministry of Solicitor General

DATE: June 27, 1989

**POLICE MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**



**BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
**PROVINCIAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS**

**Report Nos.**

**16 - 19**



COMPARISON OF PROVINCIAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA: NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL OFFENCES, CRIME RATE  
(NUMBER OF CCC OFFENCES PER 1000 POPULATION, 1981 TO 1988;  
RANKED HIGHEST TO LOWEST BY 1988 CRIME RATE.

| Police | U M I T                | NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      | CRIME RATE |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        |                        | 1981                             | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  | 1981 | 1982 | 1983       | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 |
| 738    | Whistler Prov          | 542                              | 630   | 763   | 831   | 847   | 810   | 1,056 | 1,381 | 394  | 464  | 524        | 531  | 507  | 402  | 479  | 574  | 479  | 402  | 481  | 403  |
| 727    | University Prov        | 1,351                            | 1,579 | 1,406 | 1,391 | 1,337 | 1,312 | 1,709 | 1,505 | 368  | 430  | 384        | 381  | 360  | 364  | 481  | 403  | 364  | 381  | 233  | 241  |
| 620    | Bella Bella Prov       | 203                              | 355   | 296   | 314   | 260   | 316   | 318   | 316   | 180  | 314  | 245        | 246  | 196  | 199  | 247  | 229  | 199  | 247  | 229  | 226  |
| 614    | Anahim Lake Prov       | 124                              | 88    | 161   | 92    | 123   | 123   | 149   | 151   | 204  | 164  | 135        | 148  | 139  | 237  | 177  | 226  | 139  | 164  | 135  | 148  |
| 202    | Stewart Prov           | 254                              | 207   | 182   | 161   | 140   | 228   | 196   | 196   | 162  | 109  | 94         | 99   | 208  | 195  | 229  | 218  | 162  | 109  | 94   | 99   |
| 614    | Fort St. James Prov    | 813                              | 746   | 782   | 1,002 | 961   | 884   | 1,031 | 961   | 132  | 193  | 160        | 138  | 160  | 183  | 203  | 215  | 132  | 193  | 160  | 138  |
| 506    | Fort St. James Prov    | 344                              | 525   | 415   | 376   | 439   | 503   | 555   | 593   | 198  | 197  | 197        | 197  | 202  | 220  | 215  | 205  | 198  | 197  | 197  | 197  |
| 706    | Chilliwack Prov        | 2,258                            | 2,291 | 2,254 | 2,247 | 2,042 | 2,453 | 2,397 | 2,335 | 88   | 99   | 91         | 93   | 72   | 133  | 175  | 205  | 88   | 99   | 91   | 93   |
| 803    | Duncan Prov            | 102                              | 117   | 110   | 117   | 98    | 184   | 231   | 269   | 94   | 81   | 115        | 93   | 134  | 115  | 131  | 205  | 94   | 81   | 115  | 93   |
| 621    | New Aiyansh Prov       | 147                              | 124   | 175   | 142   | 206   | 172   | 196   | 321   | 239  | 232  | 225        | 193  | 206  | 213  | 182  | 198  | 239  | 232  | 225  | 193  |
| 724    | Squamish Prov          | 1,450                            | 1,424 | 1,368 | 1,160 | 1,261 | 1,245 | 1,058 | 1,168 | 178  | 190  | 148        | 112  | 165  | 164  | 155  | 194  | 178  | 190  | 148  | 112  |
| 714    | Hope Prov              | 354                              | 371   | 272   | 204   | 294   | 295   | 291   | 357   | 214  | 221  | 201        | 173  | 165  | 188  | 157  | 188  | 214  | 221  | 201  | 173  |
| 201    | Alexis Creek Prov      | 319                              | 342   | 317   | 291   | 296   | 323   | 359   | 345   | 190  | 223  | 153        | 173  | 165  | 188  | 186  | 179  | 190  | 223  | 153  | 173  |
| 919    | Tofino Prov            | 285                              | 329   | 388   | 457   | 448   | 449   | 396   | 382   | 173  | 177  | 177        | 212  | 207  | 208  | 178  | 178  | 173  | 177  | 177  | 212  |
| 213    | Lytton Prov            | 391                              | 397   | 388   | 457   | 448   | 449   | 396   | 382   | 173  | 177  | 177        | 212  | 207  | 208  | 178  | 178  | 173  | 177  | 177  | 212  |
| 920    | Ucluellet Prov         | 1,023                            | 1,175 | 980   | 1,118 | 1,213 | 1,323 | 1,308 | 1,268 | 225  | 210  | 211        | 193  | 146  | 163  | 176  | 176  | 225  | 210  | 211  | 193  |
| 912    | Port Hardy Prov (11)   | 635                              | 602   | 594   | 554   | 474   | 535   | 587   | 528   | 201  | 216  | 130        | 140  | 131  | 155  | 90   | 173  | 201  | 216  | 130  | 140  |
| 608    | Masset Prov            | 128                              | 839   | 874   | 867   | 765   | 853   | 969   | 992   | 162  | 151  | 155        | 153  | 132  | 147  | 167  | 170  | 162  | 151  | 155  | 153  |
| 518    | Wells Prov             | 866                              | 839   | 874   | 867   | 765   | 853   | 969   | 992   | 162  | 151  | 155        | 153  | 132  | 147  | 167  | 170  | 162  | 151  | 155  | 153  |
| 703    | Agassiz Prov           | 149                              | 149   | 149   | 144   | 144   | 140   | 165   | 133   | 169  | 171  | 100        | 103  | 149  | 145  | 163  | 163  | 169  | 171  | 100  | 103  |
| 615    | Dease Lake Prov        | 1,103                            | 1,042 | 974   | 850   | 792   | 807   | 834   | 792   | 217  | 201  | 185        | 165  | 154  | 157  | 163  | 163  | 217  | 201  | 185  | 165  |
| 505    | Fort Nelson Prov       | 1,330                            | 1,568 | 1,490 | 1,185 | 1,193 | 1,206 | 1,370 | 1,375 | 158  | 153  | 130        | 113  | 120  | 135  | 198  | 214  | 158  | 153  | 130  | 113  |
| 114    | Revelstoke Prov (1)    | 219                              | 174   | 148   | 152   | 181   | 249   | 259   | 188   | 443  | 592  | 294        | 231  | 162  | 192  | 180  | 156  | 443  | 592  | 294  | 231  |
| 705    | Boston Bar Prov        | 136                              | 177   | 95    | 75    | 53    | 58    | 53    | 48    | 104  | 83   | 80         | 81   | 101  | 113  | 93   | 150  | 104  | 83   | 80   | 81   |
| 217    | Spences Bridge Prov    | 182                              | 155   | 103   | 75    | 72    | 72    | 95    | 74    | 122  | 102  | 163        | 144  | 144  | 185  | 121  | 129  | 122  | 102  | 163  | 144  |
| 619    | Granisle Prov          | 286                              | 462   | 394   | 375   | 469   | 472   | 525   | 336   | 113  | 126  | 106        | 85   | 109  | 130  | 146  | 142  | 113  | 126  | 106  | 85   |
| 612    | Q. Charlotte City Prov | 436                              | 494   | 411   | 324   | 411   | 472   | 778   | 786   | 85   | 110  | 114        | 114  | 107  | 146  | 142  | 141  | 85   | 110  | 114  | 114  |
| 117    | Sicamous Prov          | 432                              | 567   | 582   | 552   | 748   | 776   | 813   | 956   | 126  | 165  | 117        | 177  | 116  | 118  | 128  | 140  | 126  | 165  | 117  | 177  |
| 604    | New Hazelton Prov      | 773                              | 822   | 696   | 723   | 648   | 776   | 813   | 956   | 197  | 165  | 117        | 177  | 116  | 118  | 128  | 140  | 197  | 165  | 117  | 177  |
| 309    | Golden Prov            | 77                               | 69    | 57    | 57    | 92    | 64    | 65    | 69    | 97   | 97   | 97         | 96   | 89   | 108  | 140  | 149  | 97   | 97   | 97   | 96   |
| 601    | Atlin Prov             | 790                              | 823   | 827   | 766   | 973   | 1,225 | 1,310 | 1,272 | 174  | 150  | 137        | 137  | 152  | 167  | 143  | 158  | 174  | 150  | 137  | 137  |
| 815    | Sooke Prov             | 738                              | 639   | 587   | 655   | 727   | 639   | 702   | 608   | 204  | 137  | 137        | 137  | 216  | 272  | 313  | 269  | 204  | 137  | 137  | 137  |
| 211    | Lillooet Prov          | 136                              | 136   | 136   | 136   | 146   | 164   | 163   | 99    | 90   | 111  | 112        | 106  | 127  | 122  | 124  | 137  | 90   | 111  | 112  | 106  |
| 511    | Mackenzie River Prov   | 781                              | 950   | 973   | 926   | 1,096 | 1,062 | 1,088 | 1,211 | 144  | 153  | 138        | 126  | 134  | 142  | 148  | 137  | 144  | 153  | 138  | 126  |
| 902    | Campbell River Prov    | 277                              | 302   | 265   | 246   | 217   | 270   | 251   | 242   | 122  | 136  | 127        | 130  | 130  | 134  | 142  | 148  | 122  | 136  | 127  | 130  |
| 218    | Valmont Prov           | 984                              | 1,159 | 1,090 | 1,128 | 1,169 | 1,044 | 883   | 1,210 | 107  | 81   | 101        | 101  | 77   | 115  | 112  | 128  | 107  | 81   | 101  | 101  |
| 723    | Sechelt Prov           | 170                              | 148   | 148   | 148   | 208   | 160   | 239   | 231   | 130  | 150  | 150        | 153  | 156  | 130  | 174  | 115  | 130  | 150  | 150  | 153  |
| 312    | Kaslo Prov             | 305                              | 357   | 360   | 378   | 322   | 322   | 440   | 301   | 96   | 98   | 98         | 80   | 95   | 104  | 110  | 128  | 96   | 98   | 98   | 80   |
| 737    | Pemberton Prov         | 250                              | 245   | 245   | 185   | 219   | 227   | 457   | 505   | 150  | 159  | 163        | 143  | 130  | 130  | 144  | 127  | 150  | 159  | 163  | 143  |
| 907    | Gold River Prov        | 657                              | 700   | 702   | 702   | 617   | 539   | 482   | 482   | 107  | 94   | 94         | 71   | 73   | 104  | 127  | 127  | 107  | 94   | 94   | 71   |
| 203    | Ashcroft Prov          | 403                              | 403   | 361   | 279   | 282   | 312   | 353   | 378   | 130  | 129  | 129        | 113  | 112  | 104  | 127  | 127  | 130  | 129  | 129  | 113  |
| 107    | Lumby Prov             | 713                              | 727   | 714   | 642   | 810   | 885   | 850   | 760   | 144  | 144  | 144        | 128  | 147  | 155  | 150  | 125  | 144  | 144  | 144  | 128  |
| 501    | Osoyoos Prov           | 780                              | 780   | 668   | 644   | 553   | 560   | 549   | 1,046 | 76   | 76   | 76         | 59   | 64   | 66   | 65   | 69   | 76   | 76   | 76   | 59   |
| 909    | Port Alberni Prov      | 690                              | 690   | 690   | 690   | 553   | 560   | 549   | 1,046 | 76   | 76   | 76         | 59   | 64   | 66   | 65   | 69   | 76   | 76   | 76   | 59   |

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| Police | U N I T                | NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      |      |      |      | CRIME RATE |      |      |  |  |
|--------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|------|------|--|--|
|        |                        | 1981                             | 1982  | 1983  | 1984  | 1985  | 1986  | 1987  | 1988  | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986       | 1987 | 1988 |  |  |
| 802    | Colwood Prov (8)       | 2,891                            | 3,941 | 4,055 | 4,012 | 4,546 | 3,787 | 3,890 | 4,725 | 90   | 120  | 121  | 117  | 131  | 105        | 105  | 125  |  |  |
| 113    | Princeton Prov         | 679                              | 725   | 716   | 609   | 620   | 834   | 704   | 603   | 136  | 142  | 142  | 121  | 125  | 167        | 145  | 123  |  |  |
| 913    | Port McNeill Prov      | 518                              | 437   | 369   | 506   | 567   | 635   | 406   | 427   | 153  | 118  | 101  | 138  | 158  | 182        | 123  | 122  |  |  |
| 808    | Lake Cowichan Prov     | 531                              | 529   | 491   | 582   | 588   | 551   | 643   | 578   | 97   | 97   | 92   | 112  | 116  | 111        | 133  | 122  |  |  |
| 603    | Cassiar Prov           | 175                              | 243   | 215   | 191   | 173   | 160   | 157   | 124   | 121  | 151  | 134  | 141  | 129  | 126        | 140  | 120  |  |  |
| 709    | Coquitlam Prov         | 223                              | 237   | 175   | 150   | 196   | 232   | 242   | 163   | 195  | 195  | 139  | 115  | 138  | 173        | 180  | 119  |  |  |
| 616    | Terrace Prov           | 802                              | 532   | 395   | 576   | 687   | 707   | 758   | 800   | 119  | 79   | 60   | 85   | 102  | 106        | 112  | 118  |  |  |
| 613    | Smithers Prov          | 1,274                            | 1,408 | 1,199 | 1,060 | 1,183 | 1,250 | 1,372 | 1,220 | 132  | 138  | 116  | 101  | 112  | 118        | 131  | 116  |  |  |
| 321    | Salmo Prov             | 295                              | 294   | 257   | 232   | 272   | 333   | 274   | 215   | 126  | 124  | 111  | 104  | 127  | 164        | 144  | 116  |  |  |
| 610    | Prince Rupert Prov     | 323                              | 318   | 336   | 260   | 290   | 290   | 272   | 336   | 83   | 87   | 97   | 83   | 94   | 99         | 94   | 116  |  |  |
| 319    | Radium Prov            | 283                              | 290   | 187   | 182   | 204   | 179   | 179   | 209   | 161  | 160  | 100  | 103  | 117  | 102        | 102  | 113  |  |  |
| 311    | Invermere Prov         | 588                              | 650   | 476   | 489   | 632   | 635   | 718   | 549   | 128  | 137  | 98   | 103  | 135  | 139        | 149  | 112  |  |  |
| 524    | Tumbler Ridge Prov (5) | --                               | --    | 285   | 492   | 519   | 619   | 587   | 468   | --   | --   | 211  | 209  | 119  | 137        | 138  | 112  |  |  |
| 517    | Vanderhoof Prov        | 755                              | 753   | 711   | 699   | 774   | 821   | 951   | 772   | 105  | 102  | 96   | 93   | 105  | 114        | 135  | 111  |  |  |
| 715    | Gibsons Prov           | 938                              | 1,028 | 1,123 | 955   | 909   | 941   | 893   | 901   | 127  | 134  | 144  | 122  | 115  | 118        | 112  | 109  |  |  |
| 306    | Fernie Prov (4)        | 1,073                            | 1,343 | 861   | 779   | 794   | 778   | 687   | 813   | 128  | 150  | 99   | 91   | 94   | 95         | 88   | 108  |  |  |
| 908    | Parksville Prov (10)   | 2,122                            | 2,366 | 2,524 | 2,631 | 2,866 | 2,684 | 2,516 | 2,383 | 111  | 119  | 125  | 128  | 138  | 128        | 118  | 108  |  |  |
| 917    | Seyward Prov           | 78                               | 54    | 123   | 173   | 205   | 128   | 124   | 120   | 59   | 40   | 96   | 137  | 161  | 108        | 107  | 107  |  |  |
| 901    | Alert Bay Prov         | 304                              | 308   | 305   | 276   | 273   | 303   | 180   | 274   | 132  | 127  | 124  | 110  | 106  | 119        | 71   | 106  |  |  |
| 509    | Fraser Lake Prov       | 372                              | 369   | 319   | 287   | 366   | 331   | 394   | 358   | 92   | 89   | 80   | 77   | 104  | 98         | 116  | 106  |  |  |
| 911    | Port Alice Prov        | 183                              | 178   | 153   | 173   | 203   | 186   | 178   | 155   | 94   | 96   | 84   | 98   | 117  | 118        | 116  | 100  |  |  |
| 109    | Oliver Prov            | 816                              | 792   | 853   | 760   | 580   | 618   | 897   | 730   | 125  | 116  | 118  | 107  | 82   | 86         | 125  | 100  |  |  |
| 207    | Clearwater Prov        | 433                              | 398   | 451   | 360   | 341   | 351   | 444   | 488   | 90   | 85   | 96   | 77   | 64   | 68         | 88   | 99   |  |  |
| 502    | Chetwynd Prov          | 952                              | 749   | 820   | 820   | 626   | 571   | 559   | 524   | 198  | 152  | 154  | 135  | 112  | 101        | 102  | 97   |  |  |
| 602    | Bella Coola Prov       | 237                              | 215   | 203   | 200   | 212   | 213   | 228   | 213   | 111  | 100  | 96   | 94   | 100  | 102        | 107  | 97   |  |  |
| 208    | Clinton Prov           | 200                              | 213   | 185   | 206   | 193   | 211   | 178   | 218   | 86   | 87   | 78   | 87   | 82   | 92         | 78   | 96   |  |  |
| 322    | Sparwood Prov          | 736                              | 692   | 598   | 483   | 592   | 532   | 436   | 402   | 166  | 139  | 117  | 97   | 119  | 110        | 96   | 94   |  |  |
| 807    | Ladysmith Prov         | 858                              | 726   | 668   | 795   | 822   | 1,007 | 1,001 | 940   | 84   | 70   | 64   | 76   | 78   | 101        | 101  | 93   |  |  |
| 918    | Tahsis Prov            | 184                              | 195   | 144   | 177   | 165   | 180   | 230   | 144   | 78   | 99   | 73   | 97   | 90   | 103        | 140  | 93   |  |  |
| 216    | 100 Mile House Prov    | 1,122                            | 1,191 | 1,195 | 1,024 | 1,189 | 1,100 | 996   | 989   | 98   | 98   | 99   | 86   | 104  | 99         | 91   | 91   |  |  |
| 310    | Grand Forks Prov       | 569                              | 679   | 615   | 723   | 611   | 732   | 627   | 624   | 80   | 94   | 85   | 100  | 86   | 105        | 91   | 89   |  |  |
| 106    | Keremeos Prov          | 390                              | 339   | 301   | 259   | 275   | 314   | 287   | 269   | 129  | 107  | 94   | 84   | 91   | 106        | 98   | 89   |  |  |
| 320    | Roseland Prov          | 403                              | 316   | 340   | 341   | 367   | 367   | 269   | 326   | 92   | 73   | 80   | 82   | 93   | 96         | 95   | 89   |  |  |
| 812    | Shawnigan Lake Prov    | 517                              | 661   | 739   | 695   | 684   | 702   | 785   | 758   | 66   | 82   | 90   | 84   | 83   | 86         | 95   | 89   |  |  |
| 212    | Logan Lake Prov        | 418                              | 405   | 341   | 289   | 222   | 261   | 212   | 172   | 139  | 125  | 109  | 92   | 86   | 121        | 102  | 88   |  |  |
| 206    | Chase Prov             | 586                              | 559   | 528   | 528   | 586   | 630   | 658   | 571   | 102  | 90   | 81   | 80   | 88   | 94         | 100  | 86   |  |  |
| 811    | Pender Island Prov     | 231                              | 163   | 125   | 84    | 90    | 103   | 195   | 174   | 128  | 86   | 64   | 42   | 45   | 51         | 101  | 86   |  |  |
| 103    | Falkland Prov          | 86                               | 123   | 103   | 96    | 79    | 135   | 190   | 150   | 46   | 63   | 51   | 48   | 41   | 69         | 103  | 84   |  |  |
| 318    | New Denver Prov        | 97                               | 105   | 111   | 83    | 99    | 95    | 142   | 168   | 58   | 62   | 66   | 52   | 63   | 62         | 94   | 84   |  |  |
| 214    | Merritt Prov           | 269                              | 301   | 248   | 259   | 267   | 259   | 241   | 290   | 75   | 84   | 71   | 76   | 76   | 74         | 69   | 84   |  |  |
| 606    | Kitimat Prov           | 67                               | 66    | 50    | 71    | 59    | 109   | 104   | 59    | 78   | 75   | 58   | 85   | 74   | 144        | 145  | 82   |  |  |
| 701    | Abbotsford Prov        | 16                               | 21    | 23    | 32    | 40    | 35    | 39    | 26    | 52   | 73   | 76   | 103  | 131  | 113        | 126  | 82   |  |  |
| 712    | Maple Ridge Prov (6)   | 699                              | 688   | 772   | 1,014 | 996   | 814   | 776   | 723   | 111  | 107  | 100  | 127  | 123  | 101        | 92   | 81   |  |  |
| 718    | Mission Prov           | 238                              | 252   | 177   | 194   | 282   | 255   | 265   | 278   | 73   | 76   | 53   | 58   | 86   | 78         | 79   | 81   |  |  |
| 813    | Sidney Prov (9)        | 548                              | 627   | 581   | 622   | 661   | 709   | 780   | 747   | 75   | 83   | 74   | 76   | 78   | 81         | 87   | 78   |  |  |
| 605    | Houston Prov           | 604                              | 492   | 470   | 447   | 502   | 424   | 374   | 440   | 97   | 80   | 78   | 75   | 84   | 73         | 65   | 76   |  |  |
| 916    | Quadra Island Prov     | 197                              | 243   | 275   | 280   | 225   | 209   | 150   | 231   | 82   | 101  | 112  | 113  | 87   | 78         | 50   | 76   |  |  |
| 805    | Gabriola Island Prov   | 128                              | 146   | 102   | 165   | 189   | 167   | 175   | 161   | 75   | 78   | 52   | 83   | 93   | 78         | 80   | 74   |  |  |
| 101    | Armstrong Prov         | 582                              | 931   | 618   | 638   | 630   | 548   | 489   | 531   | 80   | 124  | 83   | 88   | 88   | 77         | 68   | 74   |  |  |
| 305    | Creston Prov           | 970                              | 902   | 992   | 881   | 919   | 905   | 920   | 776   | 85   | 82   | 90   | 80   | 83   | 81         | 85   | 72   |  |  |

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| Policed          | U N I T                  | NUMBER OF CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES |         |         |         |         |         |         | CRIME RATE |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|                  |                          | 1981                             | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988       | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
| 102              | Enderby Prov             | 508                              | 534     | 547     | 408     | 566     | 479     | 582     | 460        | 79   | 81   | 82   | 61   | 85   | 72   | 88   | 70   |
| 914              | Powell River Prov (12)   | 428                              | 508     | 510     | 436     | 458     | 456     | 491     | 397        | 75   | 88   | 89   | 77   | 81   | 80   | 87   | 70   |
| 111              | Penticton Prov           | 246                              | 266     | 329     | 442     | 449     | 450     | 495     | 486        | 38   | 40   | 48   | 64   | 64   | 63   | 70   | 67   |
| 512              | McBride Prov             | 160                              | 149     | 145     | 164     | 185     | 180     | 193     | 142        | 68   | 65   | 64   | 74   | 86   | 85   | 90   | 66   |
| 806              | Ganges Prov              | 429                              | 366     | 358     | 493     | 502     | 539     | 532     | 484        | 70   | 57   | 54   | 72   | 72   | 77   | 75   | 65   |
| 104              | Kelowna Prov             | 1,239                            | 2,069   | 2,150   | 1,755   | 1,791   | 2,116   | 2,179   | 1,761      | 51   | 81   | 84   | 68   | 69   | 80   | 82   | 64   |
| 905              | Courtenay Prov           | 1,109                            | 1,369   | 1,332   | 1,283   | 1,574   | 1,473   | 1,401   | 1,367      | 57   | 69   | 66   | 62   | 75   | 71   | 66   | 64   |
| 204              | Barriere Prov            | 207                              | 222     | 176     | 198     | 162     | 172     | 159     | 171        | 77   | 83   | 63   | 69   | 58   | 63   | 60   | 64   |
| 317              | Nelson Prov (3)          | 291                              | 384     | 323     | 271     | 214     | 246     | 425     | 531        | 58   | 73   | 60   | 51   | 43   | 49   | 40   | 63   |
| 315              | Midway Prov              | 147                              | 154     | 145     | 171     | 170     | 170     | 123     | 149        | 58   | 59   | 55   | 66   | 67   | 68   | 51   | 62   |
| 316              | Nakusp Prov              | 330                              | 455     | 332     | 256     | 309     | 295     | 267     | 210        | 84   | 116  | 85   | 65   | 82   | 81   | 76   | 60   |
| 115              | Salmon Arm Prov          | 345                              | 312     | 262     | 254     | 211     | 234     | 261     | 240        | 80   | 72   | 61   | 61   | 51   | 58   | 65   | 59   |
| 118              | Vernon Prov (2)          | 979                              | 1,178   | 1,191   | 1,058   | 1,051   | 1,115   | 1,218   | 1,228      | 50   | 59   | 59   | 52   | 52   | 55   | 59   | 59   |
| 513              | Prince George Prov       | 694                              | 2       | 721     | 654     | 718     | 649     | 600     | 684        | 61   | 0    | 61   | 55   | 59   | 53   | 50   | 57   |
| 307              | Field Prov               | 28                               | 59      | 48      | 34      | 36      | 46      | 21      | 21         | 81   | 166  | 186  | 139  | 100  | 108  | 139  | 57   |
| 507              | Fort St. John Prov       | 850                              | 730     | 564     | 479     | 514     | 611     | 512     | 535        | 77   | 67   | 53   | 47   | 52   | 63   | 55   | 57   |
| 329              | Elkford Prov (13)        | --                               | 419     | 389     | 235     | 249     | 201     | 150     | 183        | 0    | 104  | 91   | 59   | 67   | 57   | 43   | 57   |
| 302              | Cranbrook Prov           | 199                              | 207     | 217     | 217     | 215     | 288     | 257     | 254        | 41   | 42   | 45   | 44   | 44   | 60   | 55   | 55   |
| 809              | Manaimo Prov             | 585                              | 527     | 497     | 499     | 407     | 553     | 637     | 539        | 68   | 65   | 59   | 57   | 45   | 59   | 66   | 54   |
| 510              | Hudson Hope Prov         | 142                              | 109     | 81      | 78      | 125     | 138     | 123     | 68         | 87   | 77   | 55   | 55   | 93   | 107  | 95   | 54   |
| 219              | Williams Lake Prov       | 616                              | 699     | 488     | 482     | 482     | 624     | 698     | 671        | 46   | 54   | 39   | 37   | 37   | 49   | 55   | 52   |
| 514              | Quesnel Prov             | 805                              | 814     | 714     | 667     | 669     | 699     | 864     | 746        | 57   | 57   | 49   | 46   | 46   | 47   | 59   | 51   |
| 308              | Fruitvale Prov           | 424                              | 346     | 327     | 228     | 316     | 259     | 348     | 264        | 75   | 62   | 58   | 41   | 56   | 47   | 65   | 49   |
| 313              | Kimberley Prov           | 144                              | 143     | 140     | 124     | 127     | 131     | 132     | 116        | 58   | 57   | 54   | 47   | 47   | 50   | 54   | 48   |
| 301              | Castlegar Prov           | 268                              | 260     | 288     | 282     | 221     | 236     | 227     | 225        | 58   | 57   | 64   | 65   | 52   | 57   | 62   | 48   |
| 503              | Dawson Creek Prov        | 364                              | 439     | 452     | 306     | 316     | 289     | 323     | 302        | 52   | 62   | 65   | 44   | 46   | 44   | 50   | 47   |
| 209              | Kamloops Prov            | 226                              | 268     | 253     | 219     | 245     | 229     | 223     | 189        | 50   | 57   | 54   | 47   | 53   | 50   | 49   | 41   |
| 323              | Trail Prov               | 122                              | 142     | 166     | 170     | 112     | 143     | 106     | 102        | 42   | 49   | 59   | 61   | 39   | 53   | 40   | 41   |
| 742              | Bowen Island Prov (7)    | --                               | --      | --      | --      | --      | --      | 68      | 73         | --   | --   | --   | --   | --   | --   | 41   | 40   |
| 304              | Crescent Valley Prov (3) | 186                              | 187     | 187     | 223     | 202     | 166     | --      | --         | 32   | 32   | 32   | 38   | 35   | 30   | --   | --   |
| PROVINCIAL FORCE |                          | 64,062                           | 68,245  | 65,275  | 63,703  | 66,145  | 67,509  | 68,859  | 68,629     | 100  | 105  | 99   | 97   | 100  | 103  | 105  | 104  |
| BRITISH COLUMBIA |                          | 34,575                           | 377,934 | 376,925 | 379,014 | 380,333 | 401,469 | 405,062 | 406,424    | 127  | 136  | 134  | 133  | 133  | 139  | 138  | 136  |

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) Polced 114 Revelstoke Prov includes Polced 124 Revelstoke Municipality "Extended".
- (2) Polced 118 Vernon Prov includes Polced 125 Coldstream Municipality "Extended".
- (3) Polced 304 Crescent Valley Prov was closed in 1987. Area is now included in Polced 317 Nelson Prov.
- (4) Polced 306 Fernie Prov includes Polced 330 Fernie Municipality "Extended".
- (5) Polced 524 Tumbler Ridge Prov was opened in 1983.
- (6) Polced 712 Maple Ridge Prov includes Polced 741 Pitt Meadows Municipality "Extended".
- (7) Prior to 1987, Polced 742 Bowen Island Prov offence data was scored against Polced 721 N. Vancouver District Municipal.
- (8) Polced 802 Colwood Prov includes Polced 821 Colwood Municipality "Extended".
- (9) Polced 813 Sidney Prov includes Polced 820 North Saanich Municipality "Extended".
- (10) Polced 908 Parksville Prov includes Polced 922 Parksville Municipality "Extended".
- (11) Polced 912 Port Hardy Prov includes Polced 923 Port Hardy Municipality "Extended".
- (12) Polced 914 Powell River Prov includes Polced 924 Texada Island Prov.
- (13) Polced 329 Elkford Prov was opened in 1981.

DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences where a single incident with multiple victims is scored as only one offence, police score one offence for every victim of a "violent" crime, i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences.
2. Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person and Other offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non sexual assaults, robbery and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons, as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage. Criminal Code - Traffic offences are not included in Criminal Code - Total.
3. Crime rate is defined as the total number of Criminal Code offences (Excluding Traffic) per 1000 population.
4. The crime rate is based on the number of offences that occur within the provincial detachment boundaries, and on the resident population. In other words, crimes which occur within a given jurisdiction are scored against that reporting location. However, the crime rate is based on a population which excludes tourists, commuters, or "part time" residents such as students or cottage/chalet owners. For example, crime rates for municipalities do not take into account the "core city phenomenon" in which a number of people spend some part of the day in the city for either business or pleasure purposes. It should be pointed out that many of the RCMP Provincial jurisdictions surround incorporated or "core city" areas which have substantial incidences of crime. As a result, the crime rates would be higher for the combined provincial and municipal detachment areas than for the provincial jurisdictions by themselves.
5. Crime rates are only one of the many factors used to determine the strength and organization of a police force. A number of other factors such as populations, case burdens, size and accessibility of the area to be policed, and traffic volume are also taken into consideration.
6. The Provincial Force and British Columbia Crime Rates shown in the above table are generated from the total number of Criminal Code offences and total populations for the Provincial Force and British Columbia; they do not represent the average of the rates for each individual jurisdiction.
7. The Provincial Force provides policing services to municipalities under 5,000 population, as well as to the unincorporated areas of the Province. It also "extends" police services, on a fee for service basis, to eight municipalities over 5,000 population. Provincial detachments are usually named after a municipality; however, it should be noted that if the municipality is under 5,000 population, the detachment police not only that municipality but also the unincorporated or rural area surrounding it. On the other hand, if the municipality is over 5,000 population, the detachment police only the surrounding unincorporated area.
8. There may be some small variance in the data shown in this report compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

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BRITISH COLUMBIA PROVINCIAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS: POPULATION, POLICE STRENGTH (GD+GIS), TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE OFFENCES, CRIME RATE (TOTAL CCC OFFENCES PER 1000 POPULATION) AND CASE BURDEN (TOTAL CCC OFFENCES PER POLICE), FOR 1988.

| Polcd | U N I T                | Population | Police Strength | Total CCC Offences | Crime Rate | Case Burden |
|-------|------------------------|------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------|-------------|
| 909   | Port Alberni Prov      | 8,362      | 6               | 1,046              | 125        | 174         |
| 738   | Whistler Prov          | 2,408      | 8               | 1,381              | 574        | 173         |
| 724   | Squamish Prov          | 1,564      | 2               | 321                | 205        | 161         |
| 908   | Parksville Prov (7)    | 22,089     | 17              | 2,383              | 108        | 140         |
| 802   | Colwood Prov (5)       | 37,926     | 34              | 4,725              | 125        | 139         |
| 727   | University Prov        | 3,732      | 11              | 1,505              | 403        | 137         |
| 309   | Golden Prov            | 6,769      | 7               | 956                | 141        | 137         |
| 312   | Kaslo Prov             | 2,094      | 2               | 272                | 130        | 136         |
| 614   | Stewart Prov           | 1,194      | 2               | 270                | 226        | 135         |
| 621   | New Aiyansh Prov       | 1,310      | 2               | 269                | 205        | 135         |
| 815   | Sooke Prov             | 9,142      | 10              | 1,272              | 139        | 127         |
| 117   | Sicamous Prov          | 3,426      | 4               | 492                | 144        | 123         |
| 803   | Duncan Prov            | 11,370     | 19              | 2,335              | 205        | 123         |
| 902   | Campbell River Prov    | 8,871      | 10              | 1,211              | 137        | 121         |
| 723   | Sechelt Prov           | 9,091      | 10              | 1,210              | 133        | 121         |
| 107   | Lumby Prov             | 3,791      | 4               | 482                | 127        | 121         |
| 706   | Chilliwack Prov        | 2,752      | 5               | 593                | 215        | 119         |
| 807   | Ladysmith Prov         | 10,103     | 8               | 940                | 93         | 118         |
| 912   | Port Hardy Prov (8,10) | 7,126      | 11              | 1,268              | 178        | 115         |
| 919   | Tofino Prov            | 1,810      | 3               | 345                | 191        | 115         |
| 604   | New Hazelton Prov      | 5,536      | 7               | 786                | 142        | 112         |
| 703   | Agassiz Prov           | 5,822      | 9               | 992                | 170        | 110         |
| 812   | Shawnigan Lake Prov    | 8,551      | 7               | 758                | 89         | 108         |
| 809   | Nanaimo Prov           | 9,986      | 5               | 539                | 54         | 108         |
| 114   | Revelstoke Prov (1)    | 8,613      | 13              | 1,375              | 160        | 106         |
| 620   | Bella Bella Prov       | 1,311      | 3               | 316                | 241        | 105         |
| 905   | Courtenay Prov         | 21,403     | 13              | 1,367              | 64         | 105         |
| 109   | Oliver Prov            | 7,334      | 7               | 730                | 100        | 104         |
| 306   | Fernie Prov (3)        | 7,524      | 8               | 813                | 108        | 102         |
| 616   | Terrace Prov           | 6,752      | 8               | 800                | 118        | 100         |
| 110   | Osoyoos Prov           | 5,370      | 7               | 682                | 127        | 97          |
| 808   | Lake Cowichan Prov     | 4,748      | 6               | 578                | 122        | 96          |
| 920   | Ucluelet Prov          | 2,138      | 4               | 382                | 179        | 96          |
| 506   | Fort St. James Prov    | 4,348      | 10              | 947                | 218        | 95          |
| 118   | Vernon Prov (2)        | 20,909     | 13              | 1,228              | 59         | 94          |
| 613   | Smithers Prov          | 10,505     | 13              | 1,220              | 116        | 94          |
| 524   | Tumbler Ridge Prov     | 4,189      | 5               | 468                | 112        | 94          |
| 813   | Sidney Prov (6)        | 9,532      | 8               | 747                | 78         | 93          |
| 311   | Invermere Prov         | 4,890      | 6               | 549                | 112        | 92          |
| 901   | Alert Bay Prov         | 2,578      | 3               | 274                | 106        | 91          |
| 907   | Gold River Prov        | 2,140      | 3               | 273                | 128        | 91          |
| 715   | Gibsons Prov           | 8,278      | 10              | 901                | 109        | 90          |
| 216   | 100 Mile House Prov    | 10,852     | 11              | 989                | 91         | 90          |
| 714   | Hope Prov              | 5,913      | 13              | 1,168              | 198        | 90          |
| 201   | Alexis Creek Prov      | 1,836      | 4               | 357                | 194        | 89          |
| 310   | Grand Forks Prov       | 6,982      | 7               | 624                | 89         | 89          |
| 104   | Kelowna Prov           | 27,436     | 20              | 1,761              | 64         | 88          |
| 505   | Fort Nelson Prov       | 4,854      | 9               | 792                | 163        | 88          |
| 608   | Masset Prov            | 3,001      | 6               | 528                | 176        | 88          |
| 811   | Pender Island Prov     | 2,020      | 2               | 174                | 86         | 87          |
| 211   | Lillooet Prov          | 4,384      | 7               | 608                | 139        | 87          |
| 113   | Princeton Prov         | 4,895      | 7               | 603                | 123        | 86          |
| 517   | Vanderhoof Prov        | 6,984      | 9               | 772                | 111        | 86          |
| 513   | Prince George Prov     | 11,963     | 8               | 684                | 57         | 86          |
| 913   | Port McNeill Prov      | 3,494      | 5               | 427                | 122        | 85          |
| 615   | Dease Lake Prov        | 1,024      | 2               | 169                | 165        | 85          |
| 318   | New Denver Prov        | 1,997      | 2               | 168                | 84         | 84          |
| 612   | Q.Charlotte City Prov  | 2,328      | 4               | 336                | 144        | 84          |
| 213   | Lytton Prov            | 1,328      | 3               | 249                | 188        | 83          |
| 514   | Quesnel Prov           | 14,498     | 9               | 746                | 51         | 83          |
| 206   | Chase Prov             | 6,602      | 7               | 571                | 86         | 82          |
| 320   | Rossland Prov          | 3,677      | 4               | 326                | 89         | 82          |
| 207   | Clearwater Prov        | 4,928      | 6               | 488                | 99         | 81          |
| 218   | Valemount Prov         | 1,810      | 3               | 242                | 134        | 81          |
| 806   | Ganges Prov            | 7,466      | 6               | 484                | 65         | 81          |
| 805   | Gabriola Island Prov   | 2,167      | 2               | 161                | 74         | 81          |
| 911   | Port Alice Prov        | 1,557      | 2               | 155                | 100        | 78          |

| Polcd            | U N I T               | Population | Police<br>Strength | Total<br>CCC Offences | Crime<br>Rate | Case<br>Burden |
|------------------|-----------------------|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 203              | Ashcroft Prov         | 3,631      | 6                  | 463                   | 128           | 77             |
| 916              | Quadra Island Prov    | 3,045      | 3                  | 231                   | 76            | 77             |
| 507              | Fort St. John Prov    | 9,445      | 7                  | 535                   | 57            | 76             |
| 317              | Nelson Prov           | 8,476      | 7                  | 531                   | 63            | 76             |
| 101              | Armstrong Prov        | 7,175      | 7                  | 531                   | 74            | 76             |
| 202              | Anahim Lake Prov      | 659        | 2                  | 151                   | 229           | 76             |
| 301              | Castlegar Prov        | 4,690      | 3                  | 225                   | 48            | 75             |
| 103              | Falkland Prov         | 1,778      | 2                  | 150                   | 84            | 75             |
| 214              | Merritt Prov          | 3,469      | 4                  | 290                   | 84            | 73             |
| 712              | Maple Ridge Prov (4)  | 8,900      | 10                 | 723                   | 81            | 72             |
| 918              | Tahsis Prov           | 1,553      | 2                  | 144                   | 93            | 72             |
| 509              | Fraser Lake Prov      | 3,384      | 5                  | 358                   | 106           | 72             |
| 602              | Bella Coola Prov      | 2,202      | 3                  | 213                   | 97            | 71             |
| 501              | Burns Lake Prov       | 5,598      | 10                 | 710                   | 127           | 71             |
| 305              | Creston Prov          | 10,843     | 11                 | 776                   | 72            | 71             |
| 319              | Radium Prov           | 1,848      | 3                  | 209                   | 113           | 70             |
| 718              | Mission Prov          | 3,451      | 4                  | 278                   | 81            | 70             |
| 737              | Pemberton Prov        | 2,695      | 5                  | 345                   | 128           | 69             |
| 106              | Keremeos Prov         | 3,028      | 4                  | 269                   | 89            | 67             |
| 610              | Prince Rupert Prov    | 2,898      | 5                  | 336                   | 116           | 67             |
| 219              | Williams Lake Prov    | 12,812     | 10                 | 671                   | 52            | 67             |
| 914              | Powell River Prov (9) | 5,710      | 6                  | 397                   | 70            | 66             |
| 308              | Fruitvale Prov        | 5,406      | 4                  | 264                   | 49            | 66             |
| 102              | Enderby Prov          | 6,583      | 7                  | 460                   | 70            | 66             |
| 502              | Chetwynd Prov         | 5,299      | 8                  | 524                   | 99            | 66             |
| 302              | Cranbrook Prov        | 4,652      | 4                  | 254                   | 55            | 64             |
| 209              | Kamloops Prov         | 4,560      | 3                  | 189                   | 41            | 63             |
| 605              | Houston Prov          | 5,624      | 7                  | 440                   | 78            | 63             |
| 705              | Boston Bar Prov       | 1,181      | 3                  | 188                   | 159           | 63             |
| 329              | Elkford Prov          | 3,231      | 3                  | 183                   | 57            | 61             |
| 619              | Granisle Prov         | 813        | 2                  | 122                   | 150           | 61             |
| 111              | Penticton Prov        | 7,212      | 8                  | 486                   | 67            | 61             |
| 503              | Dawson Creek Prov     | 6,487      | 5                  | 302                   | 47            | 60             |
| 917              | Sayward Prov          | 1,120      | 2                  | 120                   | 107           | 60             |
| 115              | Salmon Arm Prov       | 4,078      | 4                  | 240                   | 59            | 60             |
| 313              | Kimberley Prov        | 2,406      | 2                  | 116                   | 48            | 58             |
| 322              | Sparwood Prov         | 4,285      | 7                  | 402                   | 94            | 57             |
| 212              | Logan Lake Prov       | 1,955      | 3                  | 172                   | 88            | 57             |
| 204              | Barriere Prov         | 2,683      | 3                  | 171                   | 64            | 57             |
| 208              | Clinton Prov          | 2,262      | 4                  | 218                   | 96            | 55             |
| 709              | Coquitlam Prov        | 1,372      | 3                  | 163                   | 119           | 54             |
| 321              | Salmo Prov            | 1,853      | 4                  | 215                   | 116           | 54             |
| 316              | Nakusp Prov           | 3,476      | 4                  | 210                   | 60            | 53             |
| 323              | Trail Prov            | 2,477      | 2                  | 102                   | 41            | 51             |
| 315              | Midway Prov           | 2,392      | 3                  | 149                   | 62            | 50             |
| 512              | McBride Prov          | 2,139      | 3                  | 142                   | 66            | 47             |
| 518              | Wells Prov            | 485        | 2                  | 84                    | 173           | 42             |
| 603              | Cassiar Prov          | 1,032      | 3                  | 124                   | 120           | 41             |
| 601              | Atlin Prov            | 541        | 2                  | 76                    | 140           | 38             |
| 742              | Bowen Island Prov     | 1,820      | 2                  | 73                    | 40            | 37             |
| 510              | Hudson Hope Prov      | 1,261      | 2                  | 68                    | 54            | 34             |
| 606              | Kitimat Prov          | 722        | 2                  | 59                    | 82            | 30             |
| 701              | Abbotsford Prov       | 319        | 1                  | 26                    | 82            | 26             |
| 511              | Mackenzie Prov        | 719        | 4                  | 99                    | 138           | 25             |
| 217              | Spences Bridge Prov   | 307        | 2                  | 48                    | 156           | 24             |
| 307              | Field Prov            | 368        | 2                  | 21                    | 57            | 11             |
| PROVINCIAL FORCE |                       | 659,793    | 740                | 68,629                | 104           | 93             |

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) Polcd 114 Revelstoke Prov includes Polcd 124 Revelstoke Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 11.
- (2) Polcd 118 Vernon Prov includes Polcd 125 Coldstream Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 4.
- (3) Polcd 306 Fernie Prov includes Polcd 330 Fernie Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 6.

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- (4) Polcd 712 Maple Ridge Prov includes Polcd 741 Pitt Meadows Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 8.
- (5) Polcd 802 Colwood Prov includes Polcd 821 Colwood Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 8.
- (6) Polcd 813 Sidney Prov includes Polcd 820 North Saanich Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 5.
- (7) Polcd 908 Parksville Prov includes Polcd 922 Parksville Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 7.
- (8) Polcd 912 Port Hardy Prov includes Polcd 923 Port Hardy Municipality "Extended" with an authorized police strength of 6.
- (9) Polcd 914 Powell River Prov includes Polcd 924 Texada Island Prov with an authorized police strength of 2.
- (10) Population figure includes municipal and Indian Reserve populations.

DATA QUALIFIERS

1. Population figures for 1988 are estimates based on the 1986 Census results. It should be noted that population figures reflect the "resident" or "late night" population of an area rather than the number of people who spend some part of the day in the area either for business or pleasure purposes, i.e. commuters or tourists. Furthermore, populations do not take into account "resident non-residents", i.e. cottage/chalet owners, or students residing at universities or colleges, whose permanent residence is in another jurisdiction.
2. Police strength is the number of police assigned to general duty and general investigation functions; police strength does not include police assigned to specialized functions, i.e. highway patrol, identification, police service dog.
3. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences, police score one offence for every victim of a "violent" crime, i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences.
4. Criminal Code - Total offences include Criminal Code - Property, Person and Other offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons, as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage. Criminal Code - Traffic offences are not included in Criminal Code - Total.
5. Case burden is defined as the number of Criminal Code offences (Excluding Traffic) per police strength (general duty and general investigation functions). Case burden is based upon police strength as reported in the EO-5 Report dated December 31, 1988.
6. Crime rate is defined as the number of Criminal Code offences (Excluding Traffic) per 1000 population.
7. The crime rate is based on the number of crimes that occur within the provincial detachment boundaries, and on the resident population. In other words, crimes which occur within a given jurisdiction are scored against that reporting location. However, the crime rate is based on a population which excludes tourists, commuters, or "part time" residents such as students or cottage/chalet owners. For example, crime rates for municipalities do not take into account the "core city phenomenon" in which a number of people spend some part of the day in the city for either business or pleasure purposes, i.e. tourists and commuters. It should be pointed out that many of the RCMP Provincial jurisdictions surround incorporated or "core city" areas which have substantial incidences of crime. As a result, the crime rates would be higher for the combined provincial and municipal detachment areas than for the provincial jurisdictions by themselves.
8. Populations, crime rates and case burdens are only three of the many factors used to determine the strength and organization of a police force. A number of other factors, such as size and accessibility of the area to be policed and traffic volume, are also taken into consideration.

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9. The Provincial Force provides policing services to municipalities under 5,000 population, as well as to the unincorporated areas of the Province. It also "extends" police services, on a fee for service basis, to eight municipalities over 5,000 population. It should be further noted that Provincial detachments are usually named after a municipality; however, if the municipality is under 5,000 population, the detachment polices not only that municipality but also the unincorporated or rural area surrounding it. On the other hand, if the municipality is over 5,000 population, the detachment polices only the surrounding unincorporated or rural area.
10. Data and statistics for the Provincial Force are shown on the last line of the above table. The population and offence data represents the total population policed by the Provincial Force, and the Total Criminal Code offences occurring within each detachment area. The police strength represents the total General Duty and GIS (general investigation section) strength assigned to each provincial detachment; police strength does not include specialized units, or members assigned to Subdivision or "E" Division Headquarters. The statistics for the Provincial Force are generated from these totals, and do not represent the average of the rates for individual detachments.
11. There may be some small variance in the data shown in this report compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCES: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)  
Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations  
EO-5 Report, "E" Division, Royal Canadian Mounted Police

PREPARED BY: Police Services, Ministry of Solicitor General  
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BRITISH COLUMBIA PROVINCIAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS: BREAK AND ENTER TOTAL; NUMBER OF OFFENCES, AND RATE PER 1000 POPULATION, 1981 TO 1988: RANKED HIGHEST TO LOWEST BY 1988 OFFENCE RATE.

| PolCd | U N I T               | NUMBER OF OFFENCES |      |      |      |      |      |      | RATE PER 1000 POPULATION |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-------|-----------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|       |                       | 1981               | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988                     | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
| 620   | Bella Bella Prov      | 41                 | 85   | 51   | 50   | 54   | 67   | 50   | 74                       | 36   | 75   | 42   | 39   | 41   | 49   | 37   | 56   |
| 202   | Anahim Lake Prov      | 18                 | 17   | 17   | 22   | 19   | 32   | 23   | 37                       | 30   | 28   | 28   | 35   | 31   | 52   | 38   | 56   |
| 601   | Atlin Prov            | 8                  | 12   | 7    | 33   | 9    | 10   | 12   | 26                       | 30   | 29   | 14   | 63   | 16   | 18   | 22   | 48   |
| 738   | Whistler Prov         | 78                 | 52   | 112  | 160  | 61   | 51   | 66   | 112                      | 57   | 38   | 77   | 102  | 37   | 25   | 30   | 47   |
| 201   | Alexis Creek Prov     | 76                 | 55   | 49   | 38   | 61   | 64   | 44   | 67                       | 38   | 28   | 27   | 21   | 34   | 36   | 23   | 36   |
| 706   | Chilliwack Prov       | 53                 | 88   | 86   | 48   | 57   | 84   | 83   | 90                       | 31   | 32   | 31   | 18   | 21   | 31   | 30   | 33   |
| 615   | Dease Lake Prov       | 55                 | 19   | 29   | 32   | 19   | 33   | 28   | 31                       | 63   | 21   | 31   | 33   | 20   | 33   | 28   | 30   |
| 727   | University Prov       | 113                | 70   | 69   | 75   | 81   | 125  | 113  | 112                      | 31   | 19   | 19   | 21   | 22   | 35   | 32   | 30   |
| 803   | Duncan Prov           | 291                | 205  | 262  | 289  | 220  | 302  | 366  | 331                      | 26   | 18   | 23   | 26   | 20   | 27   | 33   | 29   |
| 621   | New Aiyansh Prov      | 28                 | 37   | 30   | 30   | 22   | 26   | 31   | 36                       | 24   | 31   | 25   | 24   | 16   | 19   | 23   | 27   |
| 208   | Clinton Prov          | 43                 | 54   | 47   | 45   | 51   | 33   | 46   | 61                       | 18   | 22   | 20   | 19   | 13   | 14   | 20   | 27   |
| 724   | Squamish Prov         | 22                 | 21   | 29   | 17   | 31   | 34   | 30   | 42                       | 14   | 14   | 19   | 11   | 20   | 23   | 20   | 27   |
| 723   | Sechelt Prov          | 130                | 173  | 149  | 205  | 177  | 158  | 129  | 229                      | 16   | 20   | 17   | 24   | 20   | 18   | 15   | 25   |
| 506   | Fort St. James Prov   | 163                | 130  | 121  | 139  | 139  | 130  | 139  | 105                      | 35   | 29   | 26   | 31   | 30   | 29   | 31   | 24   |
| 619   | Granisle Prov         | 21                 | 34   | 19   | 17   | 20   | 18   | 17   | 19                       | 12   | 18   | 15   | 18   | 28   | 21   | 21   | 23   |
| 217   | Spences Bridge Prov   | 25                 | 20   | 16   | 10   | 10   | 10   | 12   | 7                        | 81   | 67   | 50   | 31   | 31   | 33   | 41   | 23   |
| 714   | Hope Prov             | 211                | 139  | 194  | 125  | 160  | 155  | 155  | 134                      | 35   | 23   | 32   | 21   | 26   | 26   | 27   | 23   |
| 612   | Q.Charlotte City Prov | 56                 | 111  | 48   | 47   | 41   | 56   | 33   | 52                       | 20   | 39   | 18   | 18   | 16   | 23   | 14   | 22   |
| 803   | Cassiar Prov          | 34                 | 54   | 30   | 26   | 22   | 24   | 32   | 23                       | 23   | 34   | 19   | 16   | 19   | 19   | 29   | 22   |
| 902   | Campbell River Prov   | 106                | 97   | 114  | 92   | 116  | 174  | 175  | 197                      | 12   | 11   | 13   | 11   | 13   | 20   | 20   | 22   |
| 610   | Prince Rupert Prov    | 55                 | 54   | 63   | 47   | 64   | 59   | 65   | 64                       | 14   | 15   | 18   | 15   | 21   | 20   | 23   | 22   |
| 604   | New Hazelton Prov     | 99                 | 111  | 106  | 96   | 151  | 120  | 109  | 119                      | 20   | 22   | 21   | 19   | 29   | 23   | 20   | 21   |
| 602   | Bella Coola Prov      | 20                 | 31   | 31   | 40   | 38   | 47   | 48   | 47                       | 9    | 14   | 15   | 19   | 18   | 22   | 23   | 21   |
| 117   | Sicamous Prov         | 94                 | 147  | 95   | 60   | 57   | 73   | 83   | 73                       | 24   | 37   | 24   | 16   | 15   | 20   | 23   | 21   |
| 211   | Lillooet Prov         | 118                | 122  | 108  | 95   | 125  | 103  | 100  | 92                       | 28   | 29   | 25   | 22   | 29   | 23   | 23   | 21   |
| 317   | Nelson Prov (3)       | 63                 | 67   | 58   | 45   | 33   | 33   | 80   | 175                      | 13   | 13   | 11   | 9    | 7    | 7    | 8    | 21   |
| 920   | Ucluellet Prov        | 41                 | 40   | 36   | 48   | 44   | 38   | 40   | 43                       | 18   | 18   | 16   | 22   | 20   | 18   | 19   | 20   |
| 703   | Agassiz Prov          | 137                | 146  | 110  | 116  | 121  | 137  | 127  | 117                      | 26   | 26   | 20   | 20   | 21   | 24   | 22   | 20   |
| 737   | Pemberton Prov        | 30                 | 82   | 71   | 87   | 37   | 71   | 41   | 54                       | 13   | 34   | 30   | 36   | 15   | 28   | 16   | 20   |
| 815   | Sooke Prov            | 108                | 143  | 163  | 111  | 137  | 196  | 250  | 180                      | 13   | 17   | 19   | 13   | 15   | 22   | 28   | 20   |
| 705   | Boston Bar Prov       | 45                 | 42   | 36   | 40   | 33   | 31   | 54   | 23                       | 32   | 31   | 27   | 32   | 25   | 25   | 45   | 19   |
| 107   | Lumby Prov            | 92                 | 52   | 45   | 51   | 55   | 41   | 64   | 72                       | 25   | 14   | 11   | 13   | 14   | 11   | 17   | 19   |
| 213   | Lytton Prov           | 40                 | 45   | 17   | 34   | 32   | 42   | 23   | 25                       | 27   | 31   | 12   | 24   | 23   | 31   | 17   | 19   |
| 805   | Gabriola Island Prov  | 41                 | 35   | 23   | 41   | 53   | 62   | 60   | 40                       | 24   | 19   | 12   | 21   | 26   | 29   | 27   | 18   |
| 908   | Parksville Prov (10)  | 399                | 413  | 454  | 535  | 459  | 416  | 409  | 400                      | 21   | 21   | 22   | 26   | 22   | 20   | 19   | 18   |
| 207   | Clearwater Prov       | 111                | 86   | 108  | 79   | 55   | 63   | 123  | 88                       | 23   | 18   | 23   | 17   | 10   | 12   | 24   | 18   |
| 916   | Quadra Island Prov    | 21                 | 46   | 40   | 26   | 27   | 19   | 31   | 54                       | 9    | 19   | 16   | 10   | 10   | 7    | 10   | 18   |
| 608   | Masset Prov           | 85                 | 106  | 71   | 74   | 38   | 43   | 50   | 53                       | 30   | 37   | 25   | 26   | 13   | 14   | 17   | 18   |
| 114   | Revelstoke Prov (1)   | 142                | 151  | 166  | 124  | 105  | 102  | 158  | 152                      | 14   | 15   | 17   | 13   | 11   | 11   | 18   | 18   |
| 113   | Princeton Prov        | 82                 | 98   | 89   | 116  | 122  | 119  | 95   | 86                       | 16   | 19   | 18   | 23   | 25   | 24   | 20   | 18   |
| 505   | Fort Nelson Prov      | 118                | 132  | 181  | 165  | 116  | 121  | 97   | 82                       | 23   | 25   | 34   | 32   | 23   | 23   | 19   | 17   |
| 614   | Stewart Prov          | 53                 | 36   | 24   | 44   | 19   | 23   | 31   | 20                       | 34   | 19   | 12   | 27   | 19   | 24   | 28   | 17   |
| 518   | Wells Prov            | 22                 | 16   | 11   | 14   | 6    | 19   | 3    | 8                        | 35   | 27   | 19   | 24   | 11   | 39   | 6    | 16   |
| 811   | Pender Island Prov    | 61                 | 33   | 30   | 23   | 24   | 31   | 59   | 33                       | 34   | 17   | 15   | 12   | 12   | 15   | 31   | 16   |
| 808   | Lake Cowichan Prov    | 73                 | 81   | 71   | 118  | 112  | 69   | 70   | 77                       | 13   | 15   | 13   | 23   | 22   | 14   | 14   | 16   |
| 918   | Tahsis Prov           | 23                 | 28   | 18   | 21   | 12   | 38   | 20   | 25                       | 10   | 14   | 9    | 12   | 7    | 22   | 12   | 16   |
| 709   | Coquitlam Prov        | 31                 | 33   | 22   | 26   | 43   | 32   | 28   | 22                       | 27   | 27   | 18   | 20   | 30   | 24   | 21   | 16   |
| 919   | Tofino Prov           | 34                 | 47   | 42   | 38   | 21   | 30   | 39   | 29                       | 23   | 30   | 27   | 23   | 12   | 17   | 21   | 16   |

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| Poled | U N I T                | NUMBER OF OFFENCES |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | RATE PER 1000 POPULATION |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |  |
|-------|------------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|--|--|--|--|
|       |                        | 1981               | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983                     | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |  |  |  |  |
| 311   | Invermere Prov         | 81                 | 123  | 85   | 77   | 63   | 109  | 119  | 77   | 18   | 26   | 18                       | 16   | 14   | 24   | 25   | 16   |  |  |  |  |
| 309   | Golden Prov            | 83                 | 101  | 76   | 93   | 90   | 102  | 94   | 106  | 14   | 17   | 13                       | 15   | 14   | 16   | 14   | 16   |  |  |  |  |
| 802   | Colwood Prov (8)       | 453                | 591  | 721  | 602  | 729  | 525  | 558  | 583  | 20   | 14   | 21                       | 17   | 21   | 15   | 15   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 616   | Terrace Prov           | 138                | 98   | 70   | 108  | 114  | 105  | 100  | 102  | 12   | 14   | 11                       | 16   | 17   | 16   | 15   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 718   | Mission Prov           | 39                 | 58   | 35   | 40   | 68   | 38   | 62   | 52   | 12   | 12   | 10                       | 12   | 21   | 12   | 19   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 109   | Oliver Prov            | 93                 | 80   | 134  | 106  | 93   | 108  | 120  | 110  | 14   | 12   | 19                       | 15   | 13   | 15   | 17   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 322   | Sparwood Prov          | 103                | 66   | 107  | 58   | 68   | 105  | 69   | 64   | 23   | 13   | 21                       | 12   | 14   | 22   | 15   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 106   | Keremeos Prov          | 80                 | 40   | 57   | 68   | 79   | 77   | 50   | 45   | 26   | 13   | 18                       | 22   | 26   | 26   | 17   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 812   | Shawnigan Lake Prov    | 96                 | 123  | 191  | 158  | 115  | 128  | 141  | 127  | 12   | 15   | 23                       | 19   | 14   | 16   | 17   | 15   |  |  |  |  |
| 312   | Kaslo Prov             | 43                 | 22   | 23   | 28   | 22   | 30   | 22   | 30   | 21   | 10   | 11                       | 14   | 11   | 14   | 11   | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| 502   | Chetwynd Prov          | 107                | 132  | 148  | 182  | 124  | 88   | 108  | 75   | 22   | 27   | 28                       | 30   | 22   | 16   | 20   | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| 901   | Alert Bay Prov         | 59                 | 69   | 72   | 46   | 46   | 78   | 15   | 36   | 26   | 29   | 29                       | 18   | 18   | 31   | 6    | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| 201   | 100 Mile House Prov    | 201                | 236  | 223  | 249  | 214  | 192  | 168  | 151  | 17   | 19   | 18                       | 21   | 19   | 17   | 15   | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| 216   | Kitimat Prov           | 20                 | 6    | 9    | 9    | 16   | 19   | 10   | 10   | 26   | 7    | 10                       | 11   | 20   | 25   | 14   | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| 606   | Valemount Prov         | 39                 | 45   | 43   | 25   | 36   | 28   | 30   | 25   | 20   | 23   | 22                       | 13   | 19   | 15   | 16   | 14   |  |  |  |  |
| 218   | Burns Lake Prov        | 108                | 93   | 78   | 77   | 93   | 127  | 80   | 73   | 20   | 17   | 14                       | 14   | 16   | 22   | 14   | 13   |  |  |  |  |
| 501   | Salmon Arm Prov        | 72                 | 79   | 53   | 58   | 47   | 64   | 75   | 53   | 17   | 18   | 12                       | 14   | 11   | 16   | 19   | 13   |  |  |  |  |
| 115   | Tumbler Ridge Prov (5) | --                 | --   | 42   | 69   | 43   | 39   | 69   | 54   | --   | --   | 31                       | 29   | 10   | 9    | 16   | 13   |  |  |  |  |
| 524   | Prince George Prov     | 183                | 0    | 209  | 175  | 206  | 229  | 152  | 152  | 16   | 0    | 18                       | 15   | 17   | 19   | 13   | 13   |  |  |  |  |
| 513   | Penticton Prov         | 47                 | 49   | 74   | 71   | 87   | 95   | 107  | 91   | 7    | 7    | 11                       | 10   | 12   | 13   | 15   | 13   |  |  |  |  |
| 111   | Port Hardy Prov (11)   | 125                | 147  | 110  | 166  | 158  | 147  | 104  | 89   | 18   | 20   | 15                       | 22   | 21   | 20   | 14   | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 310   | Grand Forks Prov       | 62                 | 156  | 118  | 128  | 107  | 110  | 69   | 86   | 12   | 11   | 12                       | 13   | 11   | 12   | 15   | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 911   | Port Alice Prov        | 23                 | 20   | 20   | 17   | 30   | 14   | 10   | 19   | 12   | 11   | 12                       | 13   | 11   | 10   | 12   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 809   | Nanaimo Prov           | 100                | 93   | 98   | 110  | 98   | 112  | 146  | 121  | 21   | 21   | 18                       | 16   | 10   | 17   | 9    | 6    |  |  |  |  |
| 203   | Ashcroft Prov          | 90                 | 92   | 77   | 69   | 43   | 59   | 88   | 43   | 18   | 15   | 14                       | 20   | 19   | 17   | 7    | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 913   | Port McNeill Prov      | 62                 | 57   | 50   | 73   | 68   | 61   | 23   | 41   | 15   | 18   | 17                       | 16   | 18   | 15   | 16   | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 914   | Powell River Prov (12) | 86                 | 103  | 100  | 93   | 102  | 86   | 90   | 67   | 15   | 18   | 17                       | 16   | 18   | 15   | 15   | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 503   | Dawson Creek Prov      | 61                 | 106  | 111  | 97   | 100  | 73   | 80   | 76   | 9    | 15   | 6                        | 12   | 14   | 15   | 11   | 7    |  |  |  |  |
| 315   | Midway Prov            | 12                 | 20   | 17   | 32   | 32   | 27   | 18   | 28   | 5    | 8    | 6                        | 12   | 13   | 11   | 7    | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 104   | Kelowna Prov           | 188                | 385  | 344  | 318  | 321  | 362  | 518  | 317  | 8    | 15   | 13                       | 12   | 12   | 14   | 19   | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 806   | Ganges Prov            | 75                 | 61   | 57   | 146  | 73   | 79   | 86   | 86   | 12   | 9    | 9                        | 21   | 11   | 11   | 12   | 12   |  |  |  |  |
| 517   | Vanderhoof Prov        | 119                | 104  | 92   | 76   | 93   | 84   | 86   | 79   | 17   | 14   | 12                       | 10   | 13   | 12   | 12   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 715   | Gibsons Prov           | 116                | 117  | 199  | 173  | 87   | 141  | 113  | 93   | 16   | 15   | 25                       | 22   | 11   | 18   | 14   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 318   | New Denver Prov        | 10                 | 10   | 18   | 25   | 22   | 21   | 27   | 22   | 15   | 16   | 11                       | 11   | 9    | 7    | 11   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 507   | Fort St. John Prov     | 169                | 173  | 116  | 110  | 91   | 67   | 102  | 104  | 15   | 16   | 10                       | 11   | 11   | 16   | 15   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 807   | Ladysmith Prov         | 101                | 84   | 69   | 108  | 116  | 160  | 154  | 111  | 11   | 8    | 8                        | 9    | 11   | 12   | 11   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 909   | Port Alberni Prov      | 96                 | 76   | 68   | 74   | 91   | 99   | 95   | 91   | 19   | 22   | 17                       | 15   | 19   | 17   | 13   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 613   | Smithers Prov          | 180                | 223  | 177  | 161  | 198  | 181  | 139  | 114  | 15   | 19   | 15                       | 14   | 14   | 20   | 17   | 11   |  |  |  |  |
| 321   | Salmo Prov             | 36                 | 44   | 35   | 32   | 31   | 41   | 32   | 20   | 8    | 9    | 9                        | 10   | 11   | 11   | 9    | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 118   | Vernon Prov (2)        | 160                | 172  | 202  | 229  | 218  | 217  | 176  | 219  | 16   | 11   | 12                       | 12   | 14   | 17   | 13   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 206   | Chase Prov             | 187                | 216  | 229  | 220  | 276  | 232  | 231  | 222  | 10   | 11   | 11                       | 11   | 13   | 11   | 11   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 905   | Courtenay Prov         | 13                 | 14   | 16   | 14   | 24   | 14   | 25   | 22   | 8    | 10   | 10                       | 11   | 10   | 18   | 11   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 510   | Hudson Hope Prov       | 24                 | 24   | 14   | 19   | 32   | 18   | 27   | 22   | 9    | 10   | 6                        | 8    | 15   | 9    | 13   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 907   | Gold River Prov        | 106                | 81   | 103  | 90   | 87   | 86   | 80   | 55   | 19   | 14   | 18                       | 16   | 16   | 16   | 15   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 110   | Osoyoos Prov           | 110                | 106  | 81   | 103  | 90   | 87   | 80   | 55   | 12   | 13   | 14                       | 8    | 10   | 16   | 15   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 103   | Falkland Prov          | 23                 | 26   | 29   | 29   | 15   | 20   | 31   | 35   | 18   | 12   | 13                       | 14   | 8    | 10   | 16   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 514   | Quesnel Prov           | 129                | 133  | 115  | 105  | 108  | 112  | 113  | 141  | 9    | 9    | 9                        | 8    | 7    | 7    | 8    | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 102   | Enderby Prov           | 84                 | 84   | 65   | 41   | 64   | 56   | 56   | 63   | 13   | 13   | 10                       | 6    | 10   | 10   | 13   | 10   |  |  |  |  |
| 214   | Merritt Prov           | 37                 | 57   | 27   | 42   | 51   | 38   | 35   | 33   | 10   | 16   | 8                        | 12   | 15   | 11   | 8    | 10   |  |  |  |  |

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| Police           | U N I T                  | NUMBER OF OFFENCES |        |        |        |        |        |        | RATE PER 1000 POPULATION |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|                  |                          | 1981               | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988                     | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
| 316              | Makusp Prov              | 41                 | 75     | 59     | 47     | 30     | 45     | 57     | 33                       | 10   | 19   | 15   | 12   | 8    | 12   | 16   | 9    |
| 509              | Fraser Lake Prov         | 49                 | 49     | 38     | 41     | 38     | 38     | 67     | 32                       | 12   | 12   | 10   | 11   | 11   | 11   | 20   | 9    |
| 701              | Abbotsford Prov          | 2                  | 3      | 5      | 7      | 5      | 5      | 4      | 3                        | 7    | 10   | 17   | 23   | 16   | 16   | 13   | 9    |
| 512              | McBride Prov             | 22                 | 21     | 20     | 33     | 31     | 28     | 29     | 20                       | 9    | 9    | 9    | 15   | 14   | 13   | 14   | 9    |
| 712              | Maple Ridge Prov (6)     | 71                 | 87     | 119    | 113    | 80     | 85     | 145    | 83                       | 11   | 13   | 15   | 14   | 10   | 11   | 17   | 9    |
| 219              | Williams Lake Prov       | 92                 | 109    | 96     | 132    | 146    | 136    | 131    | 118                      | 7    | 8    | 8    | 10   | 11   | 11   | 10   | 9    |
| 306              | Fernie Prov (4)          | 119                | 218    | 132    | 80     | 84     | 101    | 69     | 69                       | 14   | 24   | 15   | 9    | 10   | 12   | 9    | 9    |
| 204              | Barriere Prov            | 36                 | 47     | 22     | 14     | 15     | 18     | 18     | 24                       | 5    | 9    | 7    | 7    | 7    | 8    | 7    | 9    |
| 302              | Cranbrook Prov           | 25                 | 43     | 35     | 34     | 32     | 39     | 34     | 41                       | 10   | 13   | 9    | 13   | 14   | 9    | 10   | 9    |
| 101              | Armstrong Prov           | 73                 | 94     | 70     | 92     | 104    | 65     | 70     | 63                       | 18   | 17   | 15   | 13   | 18   | 15   | 6    | 9    |
| 319              | Radium Prov              | 31                 | 30     | 28     | 23     | 32     | 27     | 10     | 16                       | 25   | 23   | 42   | 58   | 40   | 50   | 45   | 8    |
| 511              | Mackenzie Prov           | 17                 | 17     | 29     | 39     | 24     | 31     | 27     | 6                        | 14   | 14   | 10   | 11   | 10   | 12   | 11   | 8    |
| 813              | Sidney Prov (9)          | 104                | 107    | 75     | 87     | 81     | 106    | 98     | 75                       | 11   | 18   | 9    | 11   | 10   | 13   | 20   | 7    |
| 212              | Logan Lake Prov          | 32                 | 59     | 29     | 33     | 25     | 29     | 42     | 14                       | 7    | 2    | 10   | 12   | 17   | 9    | 6    | 7    |
| 917              | Seyward Prov             | 9                  | 3      | 13     | 15     | 21     | 11     | 7      | 8                        | 7    | 8    | 10   | 14   | 5    | 10   | 11   | 7    |
| 301              | Castlegar Prov           | 31                 | 35     | 46     | 61     | 22     | 42     | 40     | 31                       | 13   | 9    | 8    | 12   | 12   | 6    | 7    | 6    |
| 320              | Rossland Prov            | 57                 | 37     | 36     | 48     | 46     | 24     | 25     | 23                       | 10   | 8    | 6    | 4    | 5    | 11   | 6    | 6    |
| 308              | Fruitvale Prov           | 59                 | 45     | 31     | 24     | 25     | 26     | 57     | 33                       | 11   | 9    | 9    | 10   | 6    | 11   | 8    | 6    |
| 209              | Kamloops Prov            | 48                 | 42     | 40     | 49     | 26     | 51     | 36     | 26                       | 11   | --   | --   | --   | --   | --   | 7    | 5    |
| 742              | Bowen Island Prov (7)    | --                 | --     | --     | --     | --     | --     | 12     | 10                       | --   | --   | --   | --   | --   | --   | 9    | 5    |
| 307              | Field Prov               | 2                  | 6      | 9      | 5      | 1      | 0      | 3      | 2                        | 6    | 17   | 28   | 14   | 3    | 0    | 9    | 5    |
| 323              | Trail Prov               | 20                 | 25     | 32     | 28     | 6      | 29     | 17     | 12                       | 7    | 9    | 11   | 10   | 2    | 11   | 6    | 5    |
| 305              | Creston Prov             | 85                 | 99     | 113    | 113    | 89     | 94     | 85     | 49                       | 7    | 9    | 10   | 10   | 8    | 8    | 7    | 4    |
| 605              | Houston Prov             | 119                | 73     | 101    | 73     | 98     | 50     | 41     | 25                       | 19   | 12   | 17   | 12   | 16   | 9    | 7    | 4    |
| 313              | Kimberley Prov           | 22                 | 19     | 23     | 18     | 14     | 23     | 27     | 10                       | 9    | 8    | 9    | 7    | 5    | 9    | 11   | 4    |
| 329              | Elkford Prov (13)        | --                 | 53     | 57     | 24     | 25     | 37     | 24     | 10                       | 0    | 13   | 13   | 6    | 7    | 10   | 7    | 3    |
| 304              | Crescent Valley Prov (3) | 19                 | 19     | 21     | 33     | 38     | 34     | --     | --                       | 3    | 3    | 4    | 6    | 7    | 6    | --   | --   |
| PROVINCIAL FORCE |                          | 9,606              | 10,268 | 10,250 | 10,241 | 9,817  | 10,055 | 10,144 | 9,352                    | 15   | 16   | 16   | 16   | 15   | 15   | 16   | 14   |
| BRITISH COLUMBIA |                          | 53,573             | 57,499 | 59,918 | 60,782 | 59,127 | 62,997 | 63,028 | 57,658                   | 20   | 21   | 21   | 21   | 21   | 22   | 22   | 19   |

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) Polcd 114 Revelstoke Prov includes Polcd 124 Revelstoke Municipality "Extended".
- (2) Polcd 118 Vernon Prov includes Polcd 125 Coldstream Municipality "Extended".
- (3) Polcd 304 Crescent Valley Prov was closed in 1987. Area is now included in Polcd 317 Nelson Prov.
- (4) Polcd 306 Fernie Prov includes Polcd 330 Fernie Municipality "Extended".
- (5) Polcd 524 Tumbler Ridge Prov was opened in 1983.
- (6) Polcd 712 Maple Ridge Prov includes Polcd 741 Pitt Meadows Municipality "Extended".
- (7) Prior to 1987, Polcd 742 Bowen Island Prov offence data was scored against Polcd 721 N. Vancouver District Municipal.
- (8) Polcd 802 Colwood Prov includes Polcd 821 Colwood Municipality "Extended".
- (9) Polcd 813 Sidney Prov includes Polcd 820 North Saanich Municipality "Extended".
- (10) Polcd 908 Parksville Prov includes Polcd 922 Parksville Municipality "Extended".
- (11) Polcd 912 Port Hardy Prov includes Polcd 923 Port Hardy Municipality "Extended".
- (12) Polcd 914 Powell River Prov includes Polcd 924 Texada Island Prov.
- (13) Polcd 329 Elkford Prov was opened in 1981.

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DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes.
2. The incidence of break and enter crimes is based on the number of offences that occur within the provincial boundaries and on the resident population. In other words, break and enter which occur within a given jurisdiction are scored against that reporting location, but the break and enter offence rate, or rate per 1000 population, is based on a population which excludes tourists, commuters, or "part time" residents such as students or cottage/chalet owners. For example, offence rates for municipalities do not take into account the "core city phenomenon" in which a number of people spend some part of the day in the city for either business or pleasure purposes. It should be pointed out that many of the RCMP Provincial jurisdictions surround incorporated or "core city" areas which have substantial incidences of crime. As a result, the offence rates would be higher for the combined provincial and municipal detachment areas than for the provincial jurisdictions by themselves.
3. The Provincial Force and British Columbia Rates Per 1000 Population shown on the last two lines of the above table are generated from the total number of offences and total populations for the Provincial Force and British Columbia; they do not represent the average of the rates for each individual jurisdiction.
4. The Provincial Force provides policing services to municipalities under 5,000 population, as well as to the unincorporated areas of the Province. It also "extends" police services, on a fee for service basis, to eight municipalities over 5,000 population.
5. It should be noted that Provincial detachments are usually named after a municipality; however, if the municipality is under 5,000 population, the detachment policies not only that municipality but also the unincorporated or rural areas surrounding it. On the other hand, if the municipality is over 5,000 population, the detachment policies only the surrounding unincorporated area.
6. There may be some small variance in the data shown in this report compared to previous reports prepared by the Police Services Branch. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within our databases.

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)PREPARED BY: Police Services,  
Ministry of Solicitor GeneralDATE: July 11, 1989



## PROVINCIAL POLICING JURISDICTIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA: POPULATIONS, 1981 TO 1988.

| Polcd | U N I T                  | POPULATIONS |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|-------|--------------------------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|       |                          | 1981        | 1982   | 1983   | 1984   | 1985   | 1986   | 1987   | 1988   |
| 701   | Abbotsford Prov          | 306         | 286    | 302    | 310    | 305    | 311    | 309    | 319    |
| 703   | Agassiz Prov             | 5,349       | 5,542  | 5,624  | 5,661  | 5,664  | 5,807  | 5,812  | 5,822  |
| 901   | Alert Bay Prov           | 2,310       | 2,417  | 2,465  | 2,518  | 2,571  | 2,538  | 2,536  | 2,578  |
| 201   | Alexis Creek Prov        | 1,989       | 1,950  | 1,834  | 1,818  | 1,782  | 1,800  | 1,877  | 1,836  |
| 202   | Anahim Lake Prov         | 607         | 613    | 602    | 621    | 619    | 618    | 604    | 659    |
| 101   | Armstrong Prov           | 7,254       | 7,498  | 7,412  | 7,225  | 7,189  | 7,089  | 7,175  | 7,175  |
| 203   | Ashcroft Prov            | 4,371       | 4,416  | 4,303  | 4,319  | 4,162  | 4,023  | 3,749  | 3,631  |
| 601   | Atlin Prov               | 391         | 417    | 489    | 520    | 551    | 553    | 539    | 541    |
| 204   | Barriere Prov            | 2,704       | 2,684  | 2,814  | 2,886  | 2,778  | 2,746  | 2,656  | 2,686  |
| 620   | Bella Bella Prov         | 1,128       | 1,131  | 1,208  | 1,277  | 1,324  | 1,372  | 1,366  | 1,311  |
| 602   | Bella Coola Prov         | 2,131       | 2,156  | 2,125  | 2,125  | 2,128  | 2,098  | 2,124  | 2,202  |
| 705   | Boston Bar Prov          | 1,389       | 1,338  | 1,312  | 1,263  | 1,345  | 1,258  | 1,210  | 1,181  |
| 742   | Bowen Island Prov (7)    | --          | --     | --     | --     | --     | --     | 1,654  | 1,820  |
| 501   | Burns Lake Prov          | 5,407       | 5,452  | 5,575  | 5,518  | 5,705  | 5,649  | 5,643  | 5,598  |
| 902   | Campbell River Prov      | 8,706       | 8,535  | 8,658  | 8,701  | 8,612  | 8,706  | 8,780  | 8,871  |
| 603   | Cassiar Prov             | 1,452       | 1,607  | 1,603  | 1,358  | 1,345  | 1,268  | 1,118  | 1,032  |
| 301   | Castlegar Prov           | 4,639       | 4,538  | 4,521  | 4,324  | 4,272  | 4,159  | 3,799  | 4,690  |
| 206   | Chase Prov               | 5,771       | 6,225  | 6,514  | 6,609  | 6,623  | 6,704  | 6,565  | 6,602  |
| 502   | Chetwynd Prov            | 4,814       | 4,932  | 5,313  | 6,086  | 5,601  | 5,640  | 5,502  | 5,299  |
| 706   | Chilliwack Prov          | 2,602       | 2,715  | 2,589  | 2,717  | 2,740  | 2,745  | 2,730  | 2,752  |
| 207   | Clearwater Prov          | 4,837       | 4,670  | 4,720  | 4,685  | 5,365  | 5,141  | 5,051  | 4,928  |
| 208   | Clinton Prov             | 2,336       | 2,448  | 2,385  | 2,357  | 2,363  | 2,302  | 2,286  | 2,262  |
| 802   | Colwood Prov (8)         | 32,297      | 32,916 | 33,611 | 34,425 | 34,826 | 36,124 | 37,048 | 37,926 |
| 709   | Coquitlam Prov           | 1,146       | 1,213  | 1,255  | 1,307  | 1,419  | 1,344  | 1,344  | 1,372  |
| 905   | Courtenay Prov           | 19,619      | 19,983 | 20,322 | 20,635 | 20,864 | 20,794 | 21,094 | 21,403 |
| 302   | Cranbrook Prov           | 4,889       | 4,963  | 4,867  | 4,900  | 4,876  | 4,798  | 4,710  | 4,652  |
| 304   | Crescent Valley Prov (3) | 5,787       | 5,789  | 5,909  | 5,905  | 5,807  | 5,568  | --     | --     |
| 305   | Creston Prov             | 11,351      | 10,939 | 11,057 | 10,957 | 11,011 | 11,110 | 10,834 | 10,843 |
| 503   | Dawson Creek Prov        | 7,057       | 7,052  | 6,963  | 6,989  | 6,831  | 6,590  | 6,426  | 6,487  |
| 615   | Dease Lake Prov          | 871         | 889    | 923    | 966    | 963    | 1,015  | 1,009  | 1,024  |
| 803   | Duncan Prov              | 11,400      | 11,612 | 11,450 | 11,117 | 11,114 | 11,136 | 11,133 | 11,370 |
| 329   | Elkford Prov             | 3,666       | 4,039  | 4,268  | 3,975  | 3,718  | 3,528  | 3,477  | 3,231  |
| 102   | Enderby Prov             | 6,398       | 6,624  | 6,647  | 6,659  | 6,621  | 6,622  | 6,596  | 6,583  |
| 103   | Falkland Prov            | 1,873       | 1,944  | 2,014  | 1,996  | 1,944  | 1,946  | 1,843  | 1,778  |
| 306   | Fernie Prov (4)          | 8,398       | 8,953  | 8,715  | 8,566  | 8,450  | 8,226  | 7,794  | 7,524  |
| 307   | Field Prov               | 347         | 356    | 318    | 345    | 341    | 334    | 332    | 368    |
| 505   | Fort Nelson Prov         | 5,087       | 5,193  | 5,253  | 5,143  | 5,151  | 5,151  | 5,056  | 4,854  |
| 506   | Fort St. James Prov      | 4,598       | 4,536  | 4,587  | 4,452  | 4,626  | 4,526  | 4,507  | 4,348  |
| 507   | Fort St. John Prov       | 11,044      | 10,940 | 10,643 | 10,202 | 9,975  | 9,640  | 9,365  | 9,445  |
| 509   | Fraser Lake Prov         | 4,045       | 4,133  | 3,968  | 3,740  | 3,526  | 3,394  | 3,386  | 3,384  |
| 308   | Fruitvale Prov           | 5,669       | 5,558  | 5,604  | 5,574  | 5,630  | 5,547  | 5,364  | 5,406  |
| 805   | Gabriola Island Prov     | 1,701       | 1,860  | 1,945  | 1,981  | 2,038  | 2,135  | 2,192  | 2,167  |
| 806   | Ganges Prov              | 6,164       | 6,460  | 6,663  | 6,815  | 6,948  | 6,972  | 7,109  | 7,466  |
| 715   | Gibsons Prov             | 7,395       | 7,695  | 7,809  | 7,833  | 7,879  | 7,948  | 7,986  | 8,278  |
| 907   | Gold River Prov          | 2,611       | 2,509  | 2,299  | 2,310  | 2,181  | 2,044  | 2,063  | 2,140  |
| 309   | Golden Prov              | 6,144       | 6,041  | 6,000  | 6,168  | 6,337  | 6,355  | 6,507  | 6,769  |
| 310   | Grand Forks Prov         | 7,127       | 7,202  | 7,259  | 7,197  | 7,111  | 6,984  | 6,917  | 6,982  |
| 619   | Granisle Prov            | 1,750       | 1,859  | 1,281  | 928    | 712    | 844    | 794    | 813    |
| 714   | Hope Prov                | 6,068       | 6,150  | 6,081  | 6,024  | 6,110  | 5,855  | 5,829  | 5,913  |
| 605   | Houston Prov             | 6,195       | 6,152  | 6,002  | 5,972  | 5,997  | 5,846  | 5,771  | 5,624  |
| 510   | Hudson Hope Prov         | 1,628       | 1,421  | 1,482  | 1,430  | 1,349  | 1,289  | 1,288  | 1,261  |
| 216   | Hundred Mile House Prov  | 11,496      | 12,196 | 12,096 | 11,919 | 11,473 | 11,056 | 10,922 | 10,852 |
| 311   | Invermere Prov           | 4,606       | 4,760  | 4,846  | 4,731  | 4,665  | 4,559  | 4,806  | 4,890  |
| 209   | Kamloops Prov            | 4,487       | 4,680  | 4,682  | 4,708  | 4,612  | 4,610  | 4,523  | 4,560  |
| 312   | Kaslo Prov               | 2,015       | 2,104  | 2,076  | 2,056  | 2,077  | 2,077  | 2,058  | 2,094  |
| 104   | Kelowna Prov             | 24,530      | 25,547 | 25,683 | 25,957 | 25,963 | 26,303 | 26,613 | 27,436 |
| 106   | Keremeos Prov            | 3,027       | 3,161  | 3,205  | 3,099  | 3,022  | 2,972  | 2,927  | 3,028  |
| 313   | Kimberley Prov           | 2,477       | 2,516  | 2,571  | 2,631  | 2,723  | 2,644  | 2,460  | 2,406  |
| 606   | Kitimat Prov             | 859         | 885    | 862    | 838    | 796    | 759    | 718    | 722    |
| 807   | Ladysmith Prov           | 10,167      | 10,355 | 10,442 | 10,501 | 10,544 | 9,935  | 9,948  | 10,103 |
| 808   | Lake Cowichan Prov       | 5,467       | 5,451  | 5,337  | 5,181  | 5,051  | 4,955  | 4,840  | 4,748  |
| 211   | Lillooet Prov            | 4,240       | 4,260  | 4,294  | 4,303  | 4,360  | 4,456  | 4,439  | 4,384  |
| 212   | Logan Lake Prov          | 3,012       | 3,242  | 3,126  | 3,134  | 2,567  | 2,163  | 2,070  | 1,955  |
| 107   | Lumby Prov               | 3,749       | 3,829  | 3,923  | 3,888  | 3,833  | 3,809  | 3,764  | 3,791  |
| 213   | Lytton Prov              | 1,499       | 1,475  | 1,437  | 1,418  | 1,380  | 1,362  | 1,348  | 1,328  |
| 511   | Mackenzie Prov           | 667         | 729    | 693    | 675    | 602    | 624    | 606    | 719    |
| 712   | Maple Ridge Prov (6)     | 6,296       | 6,460  | 7,716  | 7,963  | 8,076  | 8,081  | 8,477  | 8,900  |
| 608   | Masset Prov              | 2,818       | 2,866  | 2,815  | 2,869  | 2,953  | 3,032  | 3,016  | 3,001  |
| 512   | McBride Prov             | 2,345       | 2,289  | 2,257  | 2,205  | 2,147  | 2,124  | 2,147  | 2,139  |

## POPULATIONS

| Polcd                  | U N I T                 | 1981      | 1982      | 1983      | 1984      | 1985      | 1986      | 1987      | 1988      |
|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 214                    | Merritt Prov            | 3,578     | 3,588     | 3,475     | 3,427     | 3,492     | 3,505     | 3,483     | 3,469     |
| 315                    | Midway Prov             | 2,533     | 2,626     | 2,628     | 2,610     | 2,531     | 2,488     | 2,423     | 2,392     |
| 718                    | Mission Prov            | 3,244     | 3,337     | 3,337     | 3,339     | 3,296     | 3,271     | 3,347     | 3,451     |
| 316                    | Nakusp Prov             | 3,921     | 3,935     | 3,912     | 3,932     | 3,789     | 3,647     | 3,519     | 3,476     |
| 809                    | Nanaimo Prov            | 8,652     | 8,119     | 8,477     | 8,739     | 9,110     | 9,437     | 9,625     | 9,986     |
| 317                    | Nelson Prov (3)         | 5,033     | 5,273     | 5,386     | 5,278     | 5,024     | 4,972     | 10,569    | 8,476     |
| 621                    | New Aiyansh Prov        | 1,160     | 1,185     | 1,215     | 1,257     | 1,353     | 1,388     | 1,322     | 1,310     |
| 318                    | New Denver Prov         | 1,678     | 1,694     | 1,681     | 1,591     | 1,561     | 1,540     | 1,511     | 1,997     |
| 604                    | New Hazelton Prov       | 5,071     | 5,160     | 5,102     | 5,146     | 5,128     | 5,181     | 5,408     | 5,536     |
| 109                    | Oliver Prov             | 6,503     | 6,843     | 7,206     | 7,098     | 7,051     | 7,212     | 7,191     | 7,334     |
| 110                    | Osoyoos Prov            | 5,482     | 5,642     | 5,681     | 5,638     | 5,515     | 5,449     | 5,319     | 5,370     |
| 908                    | Parksville Prov (10)    | 19,078    | 19,921    | 20,235    | 20,626    | 20,747    | 21,029    | 21,310    | 22,089    |
| 737                    | Pemberton Prov          | 2,344     | 2,383     | 2,357     | 2,428     | 2,476     | 2,524     | 2,612     | 2,695     |
| 811                    | Pender Island Prov      | 1,802     | 1,890     | 1,960     | 1,978     | 1,995     | 2,029     | 1,928     | 2,020     |
| 111                    | Penticton Prov          | 6,517     | 6,709     | 6,874     | 6,924     | 7,000     | 7,137     | 7,103     | 7,212     |
| 909                    | Port Alberni Prov       | 9,051     | 8,953     | 8,784     | 8,621     | 8,516     | 8,388     | 8,345     | 8,362     |
| 911                    | Port Alice Prov         | 1,951     | 1,847     | 1,831     | 1,771     | 1,738     | 1,574     | 1,540     | 1,557     |
| 912                    | Port Hardy Prov (11,13) | 6,918     | 7,423     | 7,523     | 7,679     | 7,434     | 7,506     | 7,329     | 7,126     |
| 913                    | Port McNeill Prov       | 3,376     | 3,711     | 3,656     | 3,662     | 3,595     | 3,489     | 3,293     | 3,494     |
| 914                    | Powell River Prov (12)  | 5,717     | 5,745     | 5,749     | 5,663     | 5,655     | 5,678     | 5,618     | 5,710     |
| 513                    | Prince George Prov      | 11,470    | 11,671    | 11,838    | 11,977    | 12,091    | 12,145    | 12,002    | 11,963    |
| 610                    | Prince Rupert Prov      | 3,869     | 3,644     | 3,477     | 3,125     | 3,080     | 2,925     | 2,884     | 2,898     |
| 113                    | Princeton Prov          | 5,007     | 5,114     | 5,045     | 5,042     | 4,974     | 4,987     | 4,847     | 4,895     |
| 916                    | Quadra Island Prov      | 2,415     | 2,409     | 2,446     | 2,481     | 2,578     | 2,682     | 2,988     | 3,045     |
| 514                    | Quesnel Prov            | 14,238    | 14,335    | 14,478    | 14,622    | 14,698    | 14,801    | 14,538    | 14,498    |
| 612                    | Q.Charlotte City Prov   | 2,803     | 2,836     | 2,730     | 2,612     | 2,530     | 2,448     | 2,404     | 2,328     |
| 319                    | Radium Prov             | 1,761     | 1,808     | 1,865     | 1,771     | 1,742     | 1,754     | 1,757     | 1,848     |
| 114                    | Revelstoke Prov (1)     | 10,030    | 10,257    | 9,960     | 9,815     | 9,482     | 9,196     | 8,766     | 8,613     |
| 320                    | Rossland Prov           | 4,358     | 4,322     | 4,273     | 4,146     | 3,966     | 3,809     | 3,678     | 3,677     |
| 321                    | Salmo Prov              | 2,341     | 2,369     | 2,321     | 2,223     | 2,150     | 2,029     | 1,908     | 1,853     |
| 115                    | Salmon Arm Prov         | 4,338     | 4,314     | 4,265     | 4,197     | 4,116     | 4,045     | 4,029     | 4,078     |
| 917                    | Sayward Prov            | 1,320     | 1,353     | 1,276     | 1,263     | 1,270     | 1,188     | 1,156     | 1,120     |
| 723                    | Sechelt Prov            | 8,072     | 8,548     | 8,595     | 8,703     | 8,726     | 8,727     | 8,858     | 9,091     |
| 812                    | Shawnigan Lake Prov     | 7,807     | 8,081     | 8,188     | 8,232     | 8,232     | 8,141     | 8,267     | 8,551     |
| 117                    | Sicamous Prov           | 3,866     | 3,933     | 3,880     | 3,801     | 3,769     | 3,619     | 3,587     | 3,426     |
| 813                    | Sidney Prov (9)         | 7,287     | 7,578     | 7,819     | 8,183     | 8,442     | 8,801     | 8,984     | 9,532     |
| 613                    | Smithers Prov           | 9,646     | 10,204    | 10,315    | 10,547    | 10,599    | 10,610    | 10,462    | 10,505    |
| 815                    | Sooke Prov              | 8,109     | 8,445     | 8,657     | 8,633     | 8,995     | 8,724     | 8,821     | 9,142     |
| 322                    | Sparwood Prov           | 4,427     | 4,979     | 5,126     | 4,976     | 4,979     | 4,856     | 4,542     | 4,285     |
| 217                    | Spences Bridge Prov     | 307       | 299       | 323       | 324       | 327       | 302       | 295       | 307       |
| 724                    | Squamish Prov           | 1,558     | 1,539     | 1,525     | 1,535     | 1,533     | 1,500     | 1,500     | 1,564     |
| 614                    | Stewart Prov            | 1,565     | 1,903     | 1,927     | 1,622     | 1,010     | 964       | 1,107     | 1,194     |
| 918                    | Tahsis Prov             | 2,351     | 1,977     | 1,961     | 1,824     | 1,841     | 1,753     | 1,640     | 1,553     |
| 616                    | Terrace Prov            | 6,750     | 6,768     | 6,638     | 6,777     | 6,737     | 6,677     | 6,786     | 6,752     |
| 919                    | Tofino Prov             | 1,494     | 1,547     | 1,578     | 1,681     | 1,717     | 1,741     | 1,822     | 1,810     |
| 323                    | Trail Prov              | 2,917     | 2,901     | 2,829     | 2,800     | 2,851     | 2,685     | 2,618     | 2,477     |
| 524                    | Tumbler Ridge Prov (5)  | --        | --        | 1,351     | 2,357     | 4,359     | 4,527     | 4,256     | 4,189     |
| 920                    | Ucluelet Prov           | 2,257     | 2,237     | 2,196     | 2,159     | 2,166     | 2,156     | 2,130     | 2,138     |
| 727                    | University Prov         | 3,674     | 3,675     | 3,661     | 3,650     | 3,712     | 3,606     | 3,556     | 3,732     |
| 218                    | Valemount Prov          | 1,925     | 1,979     | 1,918     | 1,957     | 1,941     | 1,827     | 1,831     | 1,810     |
| 517                    | Vanderhoof Prov         | 7,198     | 7,357     | 7,380     | 7,480     | 7,390     | 7,194     | 7,038     | 6,984     |
| 118                    | Vernon Prov (2)         | 19,651    | 19,862    | 20,161    | 20,264    | 20,381    | 20,364    | 20,485    | 20,909    |
| 518                    | Wells Prov              | 636       | 601       | 593       | 578       | 556       | 484       | 488       | 485       |
| 738                    | Whistler Prov           | 1,375     | 1,358     | 1,456     | 1,565     | 1,669     | 2,014     | 2,205     | 2,408     |
| 219                    | Williams Lake Prov      | 13,491    | 13,011    | 12,482    | 12,977    | 13,062    | 12,801    | 12,779    | 12,812    |
| PROVINCIAL FORCE TOTAL |                         | 640,497   | 652,554   | 657,226   | 658,791   | 658,920   | 655,239   | 654,350   | 659,793   |
| BRITISH COLUMBIA       |                         | 2,744,467 | 2,787,554 | 2,813,767 | 2,847,574 | 2,870,099 | 2,889,207 | 2,925,700 | 2,984,000 |

## FOOTNOTES

- (1) Polcd 114 Revelstoke Prov includes Polcd 124 Revelstoke Municipality "Extended".
- (2) Polcd 118 Vernon Prov includes Polcd 125 Coldstream Municipality "Extended".
- (3) Polcd 317 Nelson Prov includes Polcd 304 Crescent Valley Prov which was closed in March 1987.
- (4) Polcd 306 Fernie Prov includes Polcd 330 Fernie Municipality "Extended".
- (5) Polcd 524 Tumbler Ridge Prov was opened in 1983.
- (6) Polcd 712 Maple Ridge Prov includes Polcd 741 Pitt Meadows Municipality "Extended".

FOOTNOTES Cont'd

- (7) From 1981 to 1986, Polcd 742 Bowen Island Prov was included in Polcd 721 North Vancouver Dist. Mun.
- (8) Polcd 802 Colwood Prov includes Polcd 821 Colwood Municipality "Extended".
- (9) Polcd 813 Sidney Prov includes Polcd 820 North Saanich Municipality "Extended".
- (10) Polcd 908 Parksville Prov includes Polcd 922 Parksville Municipality "Extended".
- (11) Polcd 912 Port Hardy Prov includes Polcd 923 Port Hardy Municipality "Extended".
- (12) Polcd 914 Powell River Prov includes Polcd 924 Texada Island Prov.
- (13) From 1986 onwards, population includes provincial and Indian Reserve populations.

DATA QUALIFIERS

- 1. Population figures reflect the "resident" or "late night" population of an area, rather than the number of people who spend some part of the day in the area either for business or pleasure purposes, i.e. commuters or tourists. Furthermore, populations do not take into account "resident non-residents", i.e. cottage/chalet owners, or students residing at universities or colleges, whose permanent residence is in another jurisdiction.
- 2. Canada Census occurred in 1981 and 1986; population figures for these years are based on the Census results. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.
- 3. Populations are only one of many factors used to determine the strength and organization of a police force. A number of other factors, such as crime rates, case burdens, size and accessibility of the policed area, and traffic volume, are also taken into consideration.
- 4. The Provincial Force provides policing services to municipalities under 5,000 population, as well as to the unincorporated areas of the Province. It also "extends" police services, on a fee for service basis, to eight municipalities over 5,000 population.
- 5. Provincial detachments are usually named after a municipality; if a municipality is under 5,000 population, however, the detachment polices not only that municipality but also the unincorporated or rural area surrounding it. On the other hand, if the municipality is over 5,000 population, the detachment polices only the surrounding unincorporated or rural area.
- 6. There may be some small variance in the data contained in this report as compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Central Statistics Bureau,  
Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations, Province of British Columbia

PREPARED BY: Police Management Information System (PMIS)  
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POLICE MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM



**BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
**DEVELOPMENT REGIONS**

**Report No.**

**20**



BRITISH COLUMBIA DEVELOPMENT REGIONS: CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL, NUMBER OF OFFENCES, RATE  
PER 1000 POPULATION, AND POPULATIONS, 1981 TO 1988.

NUMBER OF OFFENCES

| DEVELOPMENT REGION (1)   | 1981    | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Cariboo                  | 20,383  | 19,779  | 20,000  | 19,674  | 21,170  | 21,594  | 20,816  | 21,201  |
| Kootenay                 | 13,996  | 15,055  | 13,968  | 12,601  | 12,684  | 13,318  | 12,984  | 12,813  |
| Lower Mainland/Southwest | 183,366 | 204,144 | 208,975 | 215,479 | 214,613 | 230,490 | 231,669 | 237,228 |
| Nechako                  | 5,435   | 5,199   | 4,847   | 4,968   | 5,260   | 5,273   | 5,511   | 5,208   |
| North Coast              | 11,316  | 10,354  | 9,748   | 9,180   | 9,783   | 9,642   | 9,698   | 9,627   |
| Northeast                | 9,008   | 8,701   | 9,091   | 8,284   | 7,706   | 7,570   | 8,043   | 7,045   |
| Thompson-Okanagan        | 43,783  | 47,465  | 43,837  | 39,981  | 38,962  | 41,365  | 45,386  | 41,559  |
| Vancouver Island/Coast   | 60,288  | 67,237  | 66,459  | 68,847  | 70,155  | 72,217  | 70,955  | 71,743  |
| DEVELOPMENT REGION TOTAL | 347,575 | 377,934 | 376,925 | 379,014 | 380,334 | 401,469 | 405,062 | 406,424 |

RATE PER 1000 POPULATION (Ranked by 1988 Rate)

| DEVELOPMENT REGION (1)   | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| North Coast              | 179  | 162  | 155  | 148  | 160  | 161  | 162  | 161  |
| Cariboo                  | 137  | 130  | 132  | 129  | 140  | 144  | 140  | 144  |
| Lower Mainland/Southwest | 128  | 140  | 141  | 142  | 139  | 147  | 145  | 144  |
| Northeast                | 164  | 158  | 161  | 146  | 134  | 133  | 145  | 129  |
| Vancouver Island/Coast   | 116  | 128  | 126  | 129  | 131  | 134  | 130  | 129  |
| Nechako                  | 126  | 117  | 110  | 115  | 124  | 126  | 133  | 127  |
| Thompson-Okanagan        | 129  | 137  | 126  | 115  | 113  | 120  | 132  | 119  |
| Kootenay                 | 101  | 107  | 100  | 92   | 94   | 101  | 101  | 101  |
| DEVELOPMENT REGION RATE  | 127  | 136  | 134  | 133  | 133  | 139  | 138  | 136  |

POPULATIONS

| DEVELOPMENT REGION (1)   | 1981      | 1982      | 1983      | 1984      | 1985      | 1986      | 1987      | 1988      |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Cariboo                  | 148,915   | 152,442   | 151,994   | 152,770   | 151,695   | 150,081   | 148,320   | 147,348   |
| Kootenay                 | 138,527   | 140,222   | 139,931   | 137,598   | 135,316   | 132,051   | 128,565   | 126,547   |
| Lower Mainland/Southwest | 1,438,109 | 1,460,293 | 1,483,476 | 1,514,319 | 1,541,948 | 1,566,847 | 1,602,297 | 1,650,499 |
| Nechako                  | 43,118    | 44,509    | 44,050    | 43,103    | 42,424    | 41,863    | 41,374    | 41,047    |
| North Coast              | 63,255    | 63,983    | 62,871    | 62,149    | 61,260    | 59,893    | 60,038    | 59,802    |
| Northeast                | 54,894    | 55,024    | 56,374    | 56,917    | 57,448    | 56,736    | 55,564    | 54,422    |
| Thompson-Okanagan        | 339,784   | 345,907   | 346,901   | 347,616   | 344,287   | 343,335   | 344,956   | 349,165   |
| Vancouver Island/Coast   | 517,865   | 525,174   | 528,170   | 533,102   | 535,721   | 538,401   | 544,586   | 555,170   |
| DEVELOPMENT REGION TOTAL | 2,744,467 | 2,787,554 | 2,813,767 | 2,847,574 | 2,870,059 | 2,889,207 | 2,925,700 | 2,984,000 |

FOOTNOTE

(1) Vancouver Island/Coast Development Region includes the following regional districts: Alberni Clayoquot, Capital, Central Coast, Comox Strathcona, Cowichan Valley, Mount Waddington, Nanaimo, and Powell River.

Lower Mainland/Southwest Development Region includes the following regional districts: Central Fraser Valley, Dewdney Alouette, Fraser Cheam, Greater Vancouver, Squamish Lillooet and Sunshine Coast.

Okanagan Development Region includes the following regional districts: Central Okanagan, Columbia Shuswap, North Okanagan, Okanagan Similkameen, and Thompson Nicola.

Kootenay Development Region includes the following regional districts: Central Kootenay, East Kootenay, and Kootenay Boundary.

Cariboo Development Region includes the Cariboo and Fraser Fort George regional districts.

North Coast Development Region includes the Kitimat Stikine and Skeena Queen Charlotte regional districts.

FOOTNOTE Cont'd

Nechako Development Region includes the Bulkley Nechako and Stikine regional districts.

Northeast Development Region includes the Peace River Liard Regional District.

DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences where a single incident with multiple victims is scored as only one offence, police score one offence for every victim of a "violent" crime, i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences.
2. Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person, and Other offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery, and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons, as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage.
3. The Rates Per 1000 Population shown in the above table are based on the "resident" or "late night" population of each development region, rather than the number of people who spend some part of the day in the area either for business or pleasure purposes, i.e. commuters or tourists. Furthermore, these rates do not take into account people whose permanent residence is in another development region, i.e. "resident non-residents" such as cottage/chalet owners and students residing at universities or colleges.
4. The Development Region Rate Per 1000 Population shown on the last line of the Rate Per 1000 Population Table is generated from total UCR data for British Columbia; it does not represent the average of the rates for each individual development region. It should be further noted that the rates per 1000 population for each development region are generated from development region totals; they do not represent the average of the rates for each individual policing jurisdiction located within the development region.
5. Canada Census occurred in the years 1981 and 1986; population figures for 1981 and 1986 are based on the Census results for that particular year. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.
6. It should be noted that the British Columbia Development Region Plan was announced in 1986. To illustrate offence and offence rate trends, data has been produced from 1981 onwards.
7. There may be some variance in the data shown in this report compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCES: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)  
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**POLICE MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**



**BRITISH COLUMBIA  
REGIONAL DISTRICTS**

**Report Nos.**

**21 - 22**

BRITISH COLUMBIA REGIONAL DISTRICTS: CRIMINAL CODE - TOTAL; NUMBER OF OFFENCES, AND RATE PER 1000 POPULATION; 1981 TO 1988.

| REGIONAL DISTRICT         | NUMBER OF OFFENCES |         |         |         |         |         |         |         | RATE PER 1000 POPULATION |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|---------------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|                           | 1981               | 1982    | 1983    | 1984    | 1985    | 1986    | 1987    | 1988    | 1981                     | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 |
| Squamish Lillooet         | 3,088              | 3,245   | 3,290   | 3,239   | 3,315   | 3,378   | 3,816   | 4,496   | 154                      | 161  | 164  | 160  | 163  | 162  | 179  | 205  |
| Alberni Clayoquot         | 4,470              | 5,045   | 4,358   | 4,729   | 4,637   | 4,860   | 4,703   | 5,236   | 137                      | 155  | 137  | 150  | 149  | 159  | 154  | 173  |
| Skeena Queen Charlotte    | 5,360              | 5,246   | 4,903   | 4,579   | 4,455   | 4,429   | 4,275   | 4,169   | 209                      | 204  | 192  | 182  | 180  | 183  | 177  | 172  |
| Stikine                   | 506                | 519     | 454     | 444     | 377     | 453     | 422     | 470     | 148                      | 132  | 113  | 127  | 130  | 163  | 153  | 170  |
| Fraser Fort George        | 13,103             | 12,288  | 13,089  | 13,175  | 13,951  | 14,070  | 13,435  | 13,815  | 146                      | 135  | 144  | 144  | 154  | 157  | 152  | 157  |
| Nanaimo                   | 11,102             | 11,355  | 11,056  | 10,676  | 11,827  | 12,824  | 13,253  | 13,331  | 145                      | 144  | 139  | 132  | 146  | 157  | 160  | 156  |
| Kitimat Stikine           | 6,034              | 5,197   | 4,940   | 4,745   | 5,468   | 5,378   | 5,556   | 5,647   | 157                      | 133  | 129  | 125  | 146  | 150  | 150  | 151  |
| Central Coast             | 462                | 583     | 499     | 514     | 472     | 529     | 546     | 529     | 137                      | 175  | 150  | 151  | 137  | 152  | 156  | 151  |
| Fraser Cheam              | 8,477              | 9,010   | 8,596   | 7,953   | 8,030   | 8,915   | 9,216   | 9,016   | 149                      | 157  | 150  | 138  | 139  | 154  | 157  | 169  |
| Greater Vancouver (1)     | 149,670            | 167,270 | 172,121 | 176,813 | 175,366 | 191,062 | 190,389 | 204,414 | 128                      | 141  | 143  | 144  | 141  | 151  | 148  | 146  |
| Mount Waddington          | 2,028              | 2,098   | 1,807   | 2,073   | 2,256   | 2,447   | 2,072   | 2,124   | 139                      | 136  | 117  | 133  | 147  | 162  | 141  | 144  |
| Conox Strathcona          | 8,350              | 9,695   | 9,356   | 9,391   | 9,811   | 9,375   | 9,300   | 9,553   | 122                      | 139  | 134  | 134  | 139  | 132  | 129  | 130  |
| Peace River Liard         | 9,079              | 8,701   | 9,091   | 8,284   | 7,706   | 7,570   | 8,043   | 7,045   | 165                      | 158  | 161  | 146  | 134  | 133  | 145  | 129  |
| Columbia Shuswap          | 4,480              | 5,070   | 4,397   | 3,928   | 3,740   | 4,111   | 4,417   | 4,633   | 119                      | 133  | 116  | 104  | 100  | 112  | 122  | 128  |
| Thompson Nicola           | 15,025             | 15,498  | 13,731  | 12,592  | 11,953  | 12,750  | 13,860  | 12,515  | 145                      | 148  | 132  | 121  | 117  | 126  | 139  | 125  |
| Cariboo                   | 7,280              | 7,491   | 6,911   | 6,499   | 7,219   | 7,524   | 7,381   | 7,386   | 123                      | 123  | 113  | 106  | 111  | 118  | 124  | 124  |
| Okanagan Similkameen      | 7,455              | 7,594   | 7,378   | 6,875   | 6,553   | 7,004   | 7,689   | 7,564   | 130                      | 129  | 123  | 115  | 109  | 127  | 130  | 123  |
| Cowichan Valley           | 5,889              | 6,338   | 5,905   | 6,215   | 5,859   | 6,713   | 6,896   | 6,663   | 111                      | 117  | 109  | 113  | 123  | 122  | 132  | 123  |
| Bulkley Nechako           | 4,780              | 4,591   | 4,298   | 4,380   | 4,743   | 4,655   | 4,956   | 4,569   | 123                      | 116  | 110  | 113  | 123  | 122  | 132  | 123  |
| Sunshine Coast            | 1,922              | 2,187   | 2,213   | 2,083   | 2,078   | 1,985   | 1,776   | 2,111   | 124                      | 135  | 135  | 126  | 125  | 119  | 105  | 122  |
| Dewdney Alouette          | 7,890              | 8,375   | 8,527   | 9,467   | 9,741   | 9,569   | 9,471   | 9,407   | 127                      | 134  | 132  | 144  | 145  | 138  | 129  | 121  |
| Capital                   | 26,003             | 30,072  | 31,421  | 33,329  | 33,263  | 33,561  | 32,190  | 32,432  | 104                      | 119  | 123  | 129  | 127  | 126  | 119  | 118  |
| North Okanagan            | 6,906              | 7,677   | 6,957   | 6,608   | 6,605   | 6,638   | 7,245   | 6,713   | 121                      | 132  | 119  | 113  | 114  | 114  | 124  | 113  |
| East Kootenay             | 6,192              | 7,406   | 5,914   | 5,301   | 5,575   | 5,851   | 5,752   | 5,686   | 116                      | 133  | 106  | 96   | 103  | 110  | 112  | 113  |
| Central Okanagan          | 9,917              | 11,626  | 11,374  | 9,978   | 10,111  | 10,862  | 12,175  | 10,134  | 118                      | 136  | 132  | 114  | 116  | 123  | 135  | 109  |
| Central Fraser Valley (1) | 12,319             | 14,057  | 14,228  | 15,924  | 16,083  | 15,581  | 17,001  | 7,784   | 107                      | 117  | 114  | 123  | 121  | 114  | 120  | 107  |
| Powell River              | 1,984              | 2,051   | 2,057   | 1,920   | 2,030   | 1,908   | 1,995   | 1,875   | 104                      | 107  | 109  | 103  | 110  | 105  | 113  | 105  |
| Central Kootenay          | 5,027              | 4,877   | 5,286   | 4,613   | 4,398   | 4,613   | 4,687   | 4,574   | 95                       | 93   | 100  | 89   | 87   | 93   | 97   | 96   |
| Kootenay Boundary         | 2,777              | 2,772   | 2,768   | 2,687   | 2,711   | 2,854   | 2,545   | 2,553   | 86                       | 87   | 89   | 89   | 87   | 97   | 89   | 89   |
| REGIONAL DISTRICT TOTAL   | 347,575            | 377,934 | 376,925 | 379,014 | 380,334 | 401,469 | 405,062 | 406,424 | 127                      | 136  | 134  | 133  | 133  | 139  | 138  | 136  |

## FOOTNOTE

(1) In 1988 the boundaries of the Greater Vancouver Regional District (GVRD) were expanded to include the City and District of Langley; prior to 1988 these jurisdictions were located within the Central Fraser Valley Regional District. The statistics shown for 1988 reflect this change. It should be further noted that offence data for the GVRD reflects reporting on the part of Ports Canada Police.

## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. The offence data shown above have been recorded by the police on the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) surveys. Offences are scored according to the UCR Scoring Rules. If a single criminal incident contains a number of violations of the law, then only the most serious one is recorded for UCR purposes. However, with the exception of robbery offences where a single incident with multiple victims is scored as only one offence, police score one offence for every victim of a "violent" crime, i.e. Criminal Code - Person offences.

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## DATA QUALIFIERS Cont'd

2. Criminal Code - Total includes Criminal Code - Property, Person, and Other offences. Criminal Code - Property offences include break and enters, motor vehicle thefts, theft over and less than \$1000, fraud, and possession of stolen property. Criminal Code - Person offences include "violent" crimes such as homicides, attempted murder, sexual and non-sexual assaults, robbery, and abduction. Criminal Code - Other offences include prostitution, gaming and betting, possession of offensive weapons, as well as arson, bail violations, disturb the peace, and mischief and property damage.

3. The Rates Per 1000 Population shown in the above table are based on the "resident" or "late night" population of each regional district, rather than the number of people who spend some part of the day in the area either for business or pleasure purposes, i.e. commuters or tourists. Furthermore, these rates do not take into account people whose permanent residence is in another regional district, i.e. "resident non-residents" such as cottage/chalet owners and students residing at universities or colleges.

4. The Regional District Total Rate Per 1000 Population shown on the last line of the above table is generated from total UCR data for British Columbia; it does not represent the average of the rates for each individual regional district.

5. The rates per 1000 population shown in the above table are generated from regional district totals; they do not represent the average of the rates for each individual policing jurisdiction located within the regional district.

6. There may be some variance in the data shown in this report compared to previous reports prepared by Police Services. Where variances occur, the report produced at the latest date will reflect the most current data contained within the Police Management Information System (PMIS).

SOURCE: Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)

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## BRITISH COLUMBIA REGIONAL DISTRICTS: POPULATIONS, 1981 TO 1988.

| REGIONAL DISTRICT         | 1981      | 1982      | 1983      | 1984      | 1985      | 1986      | 1987      | 1988      |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Alberni Clayoquot         | 32,694    | 32,454    | 31,916    | 31,494    | 31,099    | 30,526    | 30,447    | 30,198    |
| Bulkley Nechako           | 38,839    | 39,693    | 39,108    | 38,637    | 38,555    | 38,063    | 37,601    | 37,256    |
| Capital                   | 249,444   | 251,978   | 255,180   | 258,844   | 261,829   | 265,387   | 270,232   | 275,847   |
| Cariboo                   | 59,059    | 61,084    | 61,093    | 61,547    | 61,032    | 60,198    | 59,757    | 59,626    |
| Central Coast             | 3,377     | 3,327     | 3,333     | 3,402     | 3,452     | 3,470     | 3,490     | 3,513     |
| Central Fraser Valley (1) | 115,012   | 120,104   | 124,302   | 129,330   | 133,227   | 136,892   | 142,182   | 147,565   |
| Central Kootenay          | 52,810    | 52,609    | 52,907    | 51,715    | 50,580    | 49,600    | 48,563    | 47,780    |
| Central Okanagan          | 83,999    | 85,557    | 86,391    | 87,265    | 87,110    | 88,235    | 90,312    | 92,635    |
| Columbia Shuswap          | 37,500    | 38,250    | 37,990    | 37,872    | 37,481    | 36,828    | 36,174    | 36,302    |
| Comox Strathcona          | 68,644    | 69,505    | 69,669    | 70,291    | 70,690    | 70,887    | 71,981    | 73,455    |
| Cowichan Valley           | 53,246    | 54,385    | 54,224    | 54,112    | 53,864    | 53,021    | 53,227    | 54,128    |
| Dewdney Alouette          | 61,935    | 62,658    | 64,408    | 65,865    | 67,314    | 69,453    | 73,173    | 77,630    |
| East Kootenay             | 53,514    | 55,760    | 55,756    | 55,040    | 54,300    | 52,990    | 51,272    | 50,192    |
| Fraser Cheam              | 56,879    | 57,492    | 57,333    | 57,519    | 57,620    | 57,841    | 58,767    | 60,569    |
| Fraser Fort George        | 89,856    | 91,358    | 90,901    | 91,223    | 90,663    | 89,983    | 88,563    | 87,722    |
| Greater Vancouver (1)     | 1,168,803 | 1,183,592 | 1,200,972 | 1,224,765 | 1,246,853 | 1,265,073 | 1,289,991 | 1,400,399 |
| Kitimat Stikine           | 38,439    | 39,122    | 38,250    | 37,973    | 37,505    | 36,748    | 36,931    | 36,690    |
| Kootenay Boundary         | 32,203    | 31,853    | 31,268    | 30,843    | 30,436    | 29,461    | 28,730    | 28,575    |
| Mount Waddington          | 14,555    | 15,398    | 15,475    | 15,630    | 15,338    | 15,107    | 14,698    | 14,755    |
| Nanaimo                   | 76,765    | 78,972    | 79,520    | 80,680    | 81,065    | 81,885    | 82,806    | 85,387    |
| North Okanagan            | 57,039    | 58,195    | 58,399    | 58,598    | 58,565    | 58,125    | 58,421    | 59,244    |
| Okanagan Similkameen      | 57,427    | 58,980    | 59,822    | 59,898    | 58,939    | 59,336    | 59,985    | 61,201    |
| Peace River Liard         | 54,894    | 55,024    | 56,374    | 56,917    | 57,448    | 56,736    | 55,564    | 54,422    |
| Powell River              | 19,140    | 19,155    | 18,853    | 18,649    | 18,384    | 18,118    | 17,705    | 17,887    |
| Skeena Queen Charlotte    | 25,687    | 25,750    | 25,544    | 25,142    | 24,718    | 24,160    | 24,116    | 24,136    |
| Squamish Lillooet         | 20,013    | 20,204    | 20,057    | 20,304    | 20,329    | 20,913    | 21,340    | 21,967    |
| Stikine                   | 3,408     | 3,927     | 4,019     | 3,500     | 2,906     | 2,785     | 2,764     | 2,767     |
| Sunshine Coast            | 15,467    | 16,243    | 16,404    | 16,536    | 16,605    | 16,675    | 16,844    | 17,369    |
| Thompson Nicola           | 103,819   | 104,925   | 104,299   | 103,983   | 102,192   | 100,811   | 100,064   | 99,783    |
| Regional District Total   | 2,744,467 | 2,787,554 | 2,813,767 | 2,847,574 | 2,870,099 | 2,889,207 | 2,925,700 | 2,984,000 |

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## DATA QUALIFIERS

1. Canada Census occurred in the years 1981 and 1986; population figures for 1981 and 1986 are based on the Census results for that particular year. Population figures for intervening years are estimates based on these Census data.

SOURCE: Central Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Finance and Corporate Relations

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